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LOCAL WEATHER REPORT

YESTERDAY: Maximum temperature, 66 deg.; minimum, 46 deg. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 2 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 11 miles. At midnight the temperature was 56 deg.; cloudy.

TODAY: At 5 a.m. the temperature was 54 deg.; clear.

Forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair; light west wind.

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair; warmer; light northwest wind.

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ANTARCTIC ADVENTURES.

Capt. Scott of the Discovery Says the Great Ice Plain Has Broken Back.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, April 4.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The correspondent of the Daily Mail at Christ Church, N. Z., has had an interview with Capt. R. F. Scott, R.N., who commanded the Royal Geographical Society's Antarctic expedition steamer Discovery. The captain said that the great ice plain which the expedition traversed was undoubtedly fed from the ice cap of Victorialand and that since Ross's time the ice had broken back for thirty miles along the edge of the barrier.

Capt. Scott said when the party crossed the eightieth degree for the first time in the world's history, the compass pointed exactly the wrong way. Owing to the scarcity of food and the average march throughout of ten miles daily, each man lost about thirty pounds during the six weeks' trip.

During the Glacier trip, the party had an extremely narrow escape from being precipitated into an enormous crevasse. Capt. Scott and one of the party named Evans fell upon a ledge. The latter, with the aid of the crampons on his boots, managed to hang on the edge. Eventually Capt. Scott climbed up the almost perpendicular side of the crevasse and Evans was rescued with great difficulty. Capt. Scott's hands were badly frozen.

GEN. RODRIGUEZ EMBARKS.

CAPE HAYTIEN, April 3.—A dispatch received here from Monte Cristi, Santo Domingo, reports that Gen. Rodrigues, being without ammunition, abandoned the town and embarked on the German steamer Hespania for St. Thomas. This news is confirmed by the Dominican Consul here. It is rumored that Gens. Rodrigues and Navarro, having abandoned President Morales, are trying to start a movement in favor of former President Horatio Vasquez.

WAR AND RUMORS THEREOF.

Newchwang Gets a Hint of a Fight at Port Arthur and a Landing of Japanese at Takuchan.

Russians Hold Yalu for Seventy-five Miles from Its Mouth—Troops Arriving at Harbin at the Rate of Over Two Thousand a Day.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEWCHWANG, April 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the moment of this dispatch, there is a rumor of fighting at Port Arthur and another of a landing by Japanese troops near Takuchan. The train this morning from Dalny brought the report that everything is quiet, and if the Russian commanders here have news of an engagement it is their evident purpose not to disclose it. Except for the rapid movements of the Russian forces of all arms since Gen. Kouropatkin's arrival, everything has been quiet in this section of the war sphere.

RUSSIANS HOLD THE YALU.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, April 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Russians hold the Yalu for seventy-five miles from its mouth. The advance guard of the Japanese has reached Sing Chang, Korea, eighteen miles west of Chengu and forty miles south of Wiju. The Russians fell back without fighting.

The belief is that the Japanese will not bombard Yinkow, as most of the population is Chinese. Five Japanese transports arrived at Chemulpo, and are entraining men for Seoul.

JAPS' WAY SEEMS CLEAR.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TOKIO, April 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is believed the Japanese army has now reached the Yalu River at Shanghshen, northeast of Wiju, after an easy march over deserted country. Contrary to expectation, it is now apparent that the Japanese advance to Wiju will meet with no opposition, even from harassing Cossacks. They will arrive there in force within the next few days, after a rapid march.

TROOPS ARRIVING AT HARBIN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

YINKOW, April 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Trustworthy information has been received here from the interior. Soldiers are being detrained at Harbin at the rate of more than two thousand a day, together with many horses. In the last three weeks, twenty-eight batteries of artillery have reached Harbin, and from these sixty guns have arrived here, making a total of nearly one-hundred guns to defend Newchwang.

The position here is becoming stronger every day. A fortnight ago Japanese could have landed with comparative ease, but now they could do so only with great difficulty.

The whole railway from Harbin to Haicheng is lined with troops. Supplies are plentiful in Manchuria. Russians are doing everything to encourage natives to furnish supplies in future. They are even paying farmers half price in advance for this year's produce. The Russians are now paying well for transportation, giving 5 roubles ($2.50) a day for carts and 40 roubles for cart hire from Liao Yang to Yalu River.

All stories about Russian ill-treatment of natives and promiscuous commandeering appear to be unfounded. There is not the slightest sign of ill feeling toward the Russians among the natives.

Concentration of troops along the railway has been so rapid that it will be impossible now for the Japanese to carry the war into Manchuria with any hope of success. The most they can do is to isolate Port Arthur, and possibly Vladivostok, but even that operation is becoming more difficult of accomplishment daily.

A British steamer chartered by the Chicago Daily News arrived here today, having on board three American newspaper correspondents and two Japanese interpreters. The Russians arrested the steamer and propose to detain the two Japanese as prisoners. The American Consul is using his influence to obtain permission for the correspondents and steamer to depart.

British gunboat Espiegle has received orders to remain here, from the Admiral commanding in these waters.

LOCATION OF JAPANESE FORCES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SHANGHAI, April 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is credibly reported that the Japanese are operating in an irregular lozenge-shaped area, whose corners are intended to be Antung, Newchwang, Kirin and Vladivostok. One force of 105,000 troops has been landed opposite Taku Shan, in Southern Manchuria, and is marching north and northwest.

Another army of 40000 men was landed in Northwestern Korea, and is marching toward the Yalu River. A third force, whose number is unknown, has been disembarked in Northeastern Korea and is marching to the west. It is supposed another force will attack Newchwang from the southeast, and news of an engagement is daily expected.

MA IN THEIR REAR.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HARBIN, April 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The presence of Gen. Ma, close to the Chinese Manchurian frontier, where he can menace the rear of the Russian army, hinders to a certain extent its movements. It appears that an understanding exists between Gen. Ma and the Japanese, but less complete than hitherto. The Chinese General, seeing his friends doing badly, doubtless hesitates to run the risk of an adventure which would cost China dear. Nevertheless, his presence is intolerable to Russians in the quarter where he insists on remaining.

In a short time the rivers will be free from ice, and will allow the transport of provisions by means of one hundred and fifty steamers on the Amur and Sungari.

HOSTILE CAMPS NEAR YONGAMPO.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHEFOO, April 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] On the heights back of Yongampo, the flags of the Japanese are flying above the camp of the Thirty-eighth infantry regiment of Osaka. Across the river and in full view with a field glass is the barred flag of Russia above several camps in and about Antung. There may be some of Mishtchenko's Cossacks northeast of Yongampo in the small mountain ranges near Wiju, but if so, they are the only soldiers of the Czar left to contest the movement of the Japanese army, which has swept north and northeast from Chong Ju since last Tuesday. The Pinto, which left the harbor of Yongampo on Friday, says that everything is peaceful near the Yalu and that no sign of Russian cavalry has been observed in three days. Japanese cruisers Takao and Yaeyama are in the bay with torpedo boats Hashitaka and Awataka.

PREPARED TO WARM JAPS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PORT ARTHUR, April 3.—Preparations have been made to give the Japanese a warm reception in case they again attempt to block the harbor. Vice-Admiral Togo was right in surmising that Vice-Admiral Makaroff is responsible for the change in Russian naval tactics and for the inspiration of Russian seamen.

JAP REINFORCEMENTS AT CHEMULPO

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEOUL, (Korea) April 3, 3 pm.—Five Japanese transports, carrying light artillery, cavalry and infantry have arrived at Chemulpo. The men are entraining for Seoul. Gen. Haraguchi, the newly appointed commander of the Japanese forces here, has arrived.

JAPANESE ADVANCE TAKES SENG CHENG

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOKIO, April 3. [By Asiatic Cable.] 7 p.m.—The advance guard of the Japanese army in Northwestern Korea occupied the town of Seng Cheng yesterday afternoon without opposition. Seng Cheng is on the Peking road, eighteen miles west of Chong Ju and about forty miles south of Wiju.

When the Japanese drove the Russians out of Chong Ju last Monday, the Russians withdrew in two columns, one going over the Koak San road and the other over the Peking road. The Japanese advance from Chong Ju was made very rapidly. It was anticipated that the Russians would resist this advance, but they failed to do so, and now it is not probable that there will be any further opposition south of the Yalu River.

Chong Ju, because of its superior natural surroundings, is the strongest place between Ping Yang and Wiju. Besides these natural advantages, there is an old Korean fort there which, had it been defended with spirit, would have been hard to take. The Japanese are gratified at the comparative ease with which they drove the Russians from the fort.

Russian patrols are reported to be in the country east of the Peking road, but it is not probable that there is any considerable force of Russians in that section. The patrols are withdrawing gradually to the northward toward the Yalu.

It is reported that the ice on the Yalu is well broken up, and in the future the river must be crossed either in junks or over pontoon bridges.

A dispatch to the Associated Press from Tokio, dated April 1, said information had been received there from a private source that the Japanese, after dislodging the enemy at Chong Ju, had advanced to Yong Chun, (about forty-five miles west of Chong Ju,) from which place they also drove the Russians after a brief engagement.

It is possible that the many different spellings given to Korean names in gazetteers and on maps has lead to confusion and that the Seng Cheng mentioned in the above message and Yong Chun, referred to in the dispatch of April 1 should be the same place. The two towns, however, are quite distinct, being about twenty-five miles apart.

BAYAN'S DECKS REEK WITH HUMAN GORE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, April 3.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Novikral of Port Arthur describes the scene on board the cruiser Bayan, during the recent bombardment in which she distinguished herself:

"Bursting shells bowled over man after man, until the decks were slippery with blood. Amidst this storm, the captain stood unmoved in the conning tower, calmly telephoning orders to the gun captains. His wonderful calmness had a marvelous influence upon all the officers.

"The cock pit was soon crowded, thirty-nine men being there before the fight ended, but amidst the crash of the guns, the hiss of flying projectiles, the thunder of explosions, the racket of splinters and the din of the working engines, the surgeons labored over the sick as at the hospital operating table. Although some of the men suffered frightful agony, there were few groans, in spite of the fact that anaesthetics were administered in only one case.

"When the battle ended and the enemy began to draw off, the officers on the bridge cheered and the cheering extended down into the hold with the stokers, and even the wounded joining in it.

"The captain called for full speed ahead after the retreating Japanese, but the Bayan had not gone far before the flagship signalled to return."

COMPLETION OF WARSHIPS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, April 3.—As soon as the Neva is clear of ice, the

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THE VERY LATEST.

WAR NEWS AFTER MIDNIGHT.

NEWCHWANG, April 3.—[By Asiatic Cable.] Viceroy Alexieff passed through Tashih-Chiao today. He is reported to be returning from his visit to Port Arthur.

WILL SINK STRANGERS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

VLADIVOSTOK, April 3.—The commandant has published an order in the Russian, Chinese and Korean languages, to the effect that he will sink any vessel attempting to enter the port at night.

HART RAISING REVENUES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SHANGHAI, April 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Sir Robert Hart, inspector-general of Chinese customs, upon which, through his financial reform scheme, high provincial authorities have been instructed to memorialize the throne, undertakes to raise revenues amounting to $400,000,000 tael's by the uniform levy of half a crown an acre on cultivated land.

This is to provide a standing army and reserves of half a million men; also an adequate fleet and reorganized civil service with a salary list of 100,000,000 taels. The scheme assumes that the Chinese official class would be honest if well paid, but the officials themselves express doubts.

PRESS BOAT FAWAN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEWCHWANG, April 3.—The press boat Fawan, placed under arrest yesterday, was released today by order of Gen. Kouropatkin.

ALEXIEFF VS. KOUROPATKIN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PARIS, April 4.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Echo de Paris telegraphs as follows: "Rumors are current in high circles of fresh dissensions between Viceroy Alexieff and Gen. Kouropatkin. It is alleged that the viceroy wants his views on the subject of the quickest way of ridding the country of Japanese adopted, whereas Gen. Kouropatkin insists on retaining some responsibility for the conception and execution of military operations. There is reason to believe that Gen. Kouropatkin will be left free, Viceroy Alexieff being too judicious to create trouble on account of a mere supposed slight.

TOO STRONG FOR JAPS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, April 4.—A correspondent of the Morning Post at Yinkow says that the position there is daily becoming stronger. A fortnight ago, the Japanese could have landed with comparative ease, while now they would experience great difficulty. The correspondent says he has received trustworthy information that the concentration of troops along the railway has been so rapid that it is now impossible for the Japanese to carry the war into Manchuria with any hope of success, and that the most they can do is to isolate Port Arthur and possibly Vladivostok.

ENTHUSIASTIC SEBASTOPOL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEBASTOPOL, April 3.—The survivors of the Variag and Koriets, which vessels were destroyed in Chemulpo harbor, arrived here today and received ovations as enthusiastic as those with which they were greeted at Odessa.

Before the port was drawn up the entire Black Sea fleet, and behind it lay the city in holiday garb. Admiral Skrydloff, commander-in-chief of the fleet, welcomed the survivors, and at the Admiralty Cathedral removed from his breast the Order of St. George and pinned it upon the breast of Capt. Stepanoff of the Variag, who had seen service under him. Capt. Stepanoff and his crew have been ordered to St. Petersburg, and the towns en route have invited them to stop off in order that they may show their appreciation of their brave conduct.

PORT ARTHUR WEAKENED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, April 4.—Reports of further skirmishing between the Russians and Japanese in the Yalu River region are reaching London, but no reliable details are given. The Daily Telegraph's Seoul correspondent believes that the defenses of Port Arthur have been so weakened that the early capture of the port is to be expected. There is little doubt, the correspondent says, that only a narrow passage is left, and that at the first favorable opportunity the Japanese will block the channel. The Russians have taken many 12-inch guns out of their ships to arm the old and new defenses of Port Arthur.

THE FAR EAST.

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battleships Souvaroff and Slava, in course of construction at the Baltic works, the battleships Borodino and Orel, at the Franco-Russian works and the cruiser Mefeg and the transport Kamchatka, at the new admiralty yards, will be sent to Cronstadt for completion. The cruisers Zhemchun and Izumrud and the battleships Sissoi Voliky and Imperator Alexander II are already there, and are being prepared for commission. These ships will form part of the fleet, which is destined to reinforce Vice-Admiral Makaroff's fleet next summer.

ANTI-JEWISH TROUBLES PROBABLY ARE AVERTED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, April 3.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Reports received by the Ministry of the Interior indicate that the precautionary measures taken to prevent anti-Jewish disturbances during Easter week, when the ignorant are easily aroused to a sort of religious frenzy against the Jews by the dissemination of false stories regarding "blood atonement," will result in the avoidance of serious trouble. In spite of the precautions, however, it is considered possible there may be attempts at rioting, but the authorities may be relied on to suppress these with a strong hand. The following private telegram was received today from Odessa:

"Reports of anti-Jewish disturbances, which are common at Easter time, cause more alarm than usual this year, because of the occurrences last year. The Jews here are nervous, but the authorities have confidence in the Governor, as well as the commander-in-chief of the troops in Southern Russia. Under the circumstances therefore, anything like a serious disturbance is regarded as impossible.

"The official papers have published strongly-worded warnings, and the city is placarded with notices that all who disturb the peace will be severely punished."

UNIVERSAL ADMIRATION FOR THE JAP SOLDIERY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PING YANG, April 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Japanese soldiery and equipment seem to command universal admiration. Not one dissenting voice is to be heard among European and American residents in Korea. On the contrary, favorable comparison is made with our own troops and the troops of Europe.

Dr. Wunsch, the German resident of Seoul, and a man of erstwhile military experience, was unmeasured in his praise of the little brown men, "dwarfs," as the Koreans have called them from old time. What Dr. Wunsch especially remarked was the lack of noise in issuing of orders on the part of officers. As he put it, there were practically no sounds at all. They executed maneuvers apparently without command. At least, there was none of the bellowing of commands, such as he has been accustomed to in his own experience.

American and British officers, pleased though they are with the conduct of the men, are especially concerned with the equipment and commissariat. Confessing that their own soldiers would not be so quiet and orderly, they go on to enlarge upon the equipment of the men and upon the whole system of transporting them, feeding them and getting them to the front.

MCCORMICK'S NEGOTIATIONS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, April 3.—Ambassador McCormick is negotiating with the Foreign Office for a treaty with Russia which will give to the United States corporations the right to sue in Russian courts and to Russian courts the right to sue in courts of the United States. Under the Russian law, United States corporations can be sued, but cannot sue in the courts of the empire. This has caused United States firms great annoyance as well as losses in the past. In addition the Ambassador hopes to secure in the treaty a broad clause which will give to the United States corporations all privileges of whatever character, now enjoyed by the corporations of any foreign country.

IN AID OF THE RED CROSS WORK.

COUNTESS CASSINI TO HOLD A FAIR IN WASHINGTON.

Over Four Thousand Dollars in Cash Subscriptions Arrive in One Week—Secretary Hay's Wife Heads the List of Patronesses. Morgan and Carnegie Approached.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, April 3.—"To relieve the wounds of friend and foe alike left on the battlefields of war." In these few words the Countess Marguerite Cassini, the daughter of the Russian Ambassador, told the correspondent of the Associated Press at the embassy today the object of the fair which, under her direction, will be held in Washington, April 27, in aid of the Russian Red Cross Society. A week ago the Countess determined to do something for the aid of the Russian Red Cross, and at once started the cables to Paris and St. Petersburg working, the articles for the fair were ordered, and hundreds of invitations for assistance were sent to all parts of the United States. In making her appeal to the American people, the Countess emphasized the fact that the undertaking was not partisan in its object.

"The Red Cross Society is an international humanitarian organization, wholly divorced from politics. It is wholly in the aid of that society that my fair is to be held," said the Countess in outlining the plan to her friends.

The past week has brought to the Countess over $4000 in cash subscriptions to the Red Cross fund, and articles valued at hundreds of dollars for sale at the fair. In the mail today came a letter from a jeweler in New York City. Enclosed was a pair of diamond earrings which his little daughter, removing from her ears, had asked her father to sell "to help the little children whose fathers are killed in this war." The mother gave her watch, a valuable one, and the father added to the collection a diamond scarf pin. These will be auctioned off at the fair. So many responses are coming to the embassy from poor people and wealthy alike, all over the country, that the Counters has had to employ a private secretary, and each letter and gift is acknowledged the day of its receipt by a note of thanks signed by the Countess.

Heading the list of patronesses is Mrs. John Hay, the wife of Secretary of State Hay. The list of patronesses includes Mrs. E. A. Hitchcock, wife of the Secretary of the Interior; Mrs. Henry Cabot Lodge, wife of the Senator from Massachusetts; Mrs. W. M. Cowles, wife of Commodore Cowles of the navy and sister of the President; Baroness Speck von Sternberg, the German Ambassadoress; Mme. Jusserand, the French Ambassadoress; Lady Durand, the British Ambassadoress; Baroness Munchauer, wife of the Belgian Minister; Señora Calderon, wife of the Peruvian Minister; Countess Cellere, the wife of the Italian chargé d'affaires; Mrs. Ogden Mills of New York, Mrs. Potter Palmer of Chicago, and many others.

The fair will be attended by practically the entire Cabinet, the members of the diplomatic corps, the Supreme Court and members of Congress. The Countess, however, is desirous that its guests shall not be confined to the official set, but that all who feel it in them to aid the Red Cross and give assistance to some Russian or Japanese soldier left wounded on the field, either shall be present at the fair or contribute. By special appointment of the Russian Ambassador, there shall be some one at the embassy at all times to receive any gifts that may be sent there.

HARRIMAN TO UNITE RAILROAD OFFICIALS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—It is stated that E. H. Harriman is preparing to abolish the local offices of the Union Pacific Company by consolidating them with those of the Southern Pacific.

PASSENGER AGENT FEE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—Charles S. Fee, former general passenger agent of the Northern Pacific Railroad and who succeeds E. O. McCormick as passenger traffic manager of the Southern Pacific Company, arrived from St. Paul today. He will enter upon his duties at the railroad building tomorrow.

It was generally expected that Fee would be accompanied to the Coast by one or more of his former assistants, but he stated that he had decided on no changes, a bit of information that will greatly relieve the anxiety prevailing in the passenger department of the Southern Pacific Company.

FRIENDLY AGREEMENT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, April 3.—At a recent conference in the office of J. P. Morgan, it was said tonight, there was a practical and friendly agreement by representatives of the Harriman-Rockefeller interests on the one side and the Hill-Morgan interests on the other, to have the court decide the plan of distributing the securities held by the Northern Securities Company.

CONTROL OF NORTHERN PACIFIC SOUGHT BY HARRIMAN ET AL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PAUL, April 3.—None of the attorneys for the defendants in the suit of E. H. Harriman and Winslow Pierce and the Oregon Short Line Railway Company against the Northern Securities Company, notice of which was served yesterday, would make today any extended statement with reference thereto. It was admitted, however, that the suit was a step in the struggle for control in the Northern Pacific Railway Company, which is being waged between E. H. Harriman and allied interests and James J. Hill, J. P. Morgan and others. That some step was anticipated the attorneys seen admitted, but each stated that the filing of the petition Saturday came as a surprise, and he was unable to state what course would be pursued until the principals had been consulted.

The citation in the suit is directed to the Northern Securities Company, the Northern Pacific, the Great Northern Railway, J. J. Hill, J. P. Morgan and others, and give notice that, April 12, Harriman, Pierce and the Oregon Short Line Railway Company will apply to the Judge of the United States Circuit Court for leave to file a petition of intervention in the suit of the United States against the same defendants, with reference to the execution of the final decree of the court, which was filed April 9, 1903. The petition itself is as follows:

"First—Your petitioners, Harriman and Pierce, are now, and ever since November 18, 1901, have been the registered owners and holders of $82,491,781 par value of the capital stock of the defendant Northern Securities Company, and such holdings of stock by them is and was held by trustees for the use and benefit of your petitioner, the Oregon Short Line Company, which company was and still is the owner thereof.

"Second—Your petitioner, the Oregon Short Line Railroad Company, by indentiture dated July 17, 1902, pledged $82,491,000 par value of said stock with the Equitable Trust Company of New York, as trustee for an issue of bonds for your said petitioner, of $82,200,000 face value which have been ordered certified and issued; but under the terms of the said trust indenture the stock so pledged and standing in the nameof your petitioners, Harriman and Pierce, is available to your petitioners for the purpose of tender, return and restoration of the status quo, as hereinafter alleged and prayed, which will fully appear by reference to said trust indenture to be produced on the hearing.

"Third—As your petitioners are advised and believe, over 85¼ per cent of the outstanding capital stock of said Northern Securities was issued in exchange for shares of the capital stock of the Northern Pacific and Great Northern Railways, respectively, and less than half per cent. of said stock was issued for other property. They are further informed and believe, that about $115,254,000 par value of the stock of said Northern Securities Company was issued in exchange for $153,749,425 par value of the stock of the Northern Pacific Railway Company, and about $212,600,000 par value of said Securities Company stock was issued in exchange for $118,124,250 par value of the stock of the Great Northern Railway Company.

"Fourth—The $82,431,000 par value of stock of the Northern Pacific stock, now standing in the names of said Harriman and Pierce, was part of the original issue of the stock of said Northern Securities Company, and was issued directly to them by said Northern Securities Company on or about November 18, 1901, in exchange for $37,023,000 par value of the common stock, and $41,065,000 par value of the preferred stock of the Northern Pacific Railway Company; and at the time of such exchange there was also paid to them by, or on behalf of said Securities Company, the sum of $8,915,629 in cash. The original certificates issued to them are still registered in their names, and are now actually in the custody of said trust company, as pledged and available for tender, return and restoration.

"Fifth—At the time of such exchange it was understood and agreed that the $41,065,000 par value of the preferred stock should be converted into common stock of the Northern Pacific Railway Company; and thereupon, after the exchange of preferred stock for stock of the Northern Securities Company, preferred stock was converted by the Northern Securities Company into common stock of the Northern Pacific Railway Company of the same value, and certifications for such new common stock substituted in lieu of the certificates for preferred stock, and the Northern Securities Company now holds all the common stock so originally received from your petitioners, and the common stock into which said preferred stock was so converted.

"Sixth—The final decree in the above entitled cause entered into this court on the 9th day of April, 1903, was on Monday the 14th day of March, 1904, duly affirmed by the Supreme Court of the United States, and in the decision then announced affirming such decree, it was directed that the judgment of the Supreme Court of the United States that the decree below hereby is affirmed, with liberty to the Circuit Court to proceed in the execution of its decree as the circumstances may require. The mandate upon such decision of the Supreme Court of the United States has not yet issued, and under the rules will not issue until the expiration of thirty days from the date of decision unless by special order.

"Seventh—Immediately upon the rendition of the decision by the Supreme Court of the United States affirming the decree of this court, the individual defendants above named and the Northern Securities Company determined, without waiting for the issue of the mandate of the Supreme Court of the United States and without any order of this court in execution of its decree, to distribute and divide the stock of the Great Northern and Northern Pacific railway companies, held by the Northern Securities Company, pro rata among the stockholders of the Northern Securities Company, according to their holdings of its stock, and not to return and transfer to the stockholders of the Northern Pacific Railway Company and the Great Northern Railway Company, respectively, any and all shares of stock in either of the railway companies to any such person or persons as may now be the holders and owners of its own stock originally issued in exchange or in payment for such stock of said railway companies respectively.

"The petition states that Northern Securities stock assigned to the petitioners in exchange for Northern Pacific common and preferred stock is held intact by the Equitable Trust Company of New York as pledge for a bond issue of the Oregon Short Line and is available for exchange. It is alleged that the plan proposed for the distribution of Northern Securities assets by the pro rata return of Northern Pacific and Northern Pacific stock would leave the control of the two roads in the hands of the same people who are now in control and would in effect defeat the decree of the court. It is asked that the directors of the Northern Securities Company be directed to return to the petitioners the Northern Pacific common stock originally exchanged by them and the additional Northern Pacific common stock created by the conversion of the preferred stock of that road exchanged for Northern Securities stock and that the directors of the securities company be enjoined from carrying into effect the proposed plan of distribution until the court acts upon this petition."

IT'S POINTED OUT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, April 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] None of the financiers and railroad men who have been identified with the history of the Northern Securities Company would talk today about the suit of E. H. Harriman to recover the holdings in the Northern Pacific, which he turned over at the time of the Northwest merger.

It was pointed out, however, that a successful issue to this suit might place Harriman in undisputed control of the Northern Pacific Railroad. It is known that, November 8, 1901, when the Northern Securities Company was formed, Harriman received $32,491,871 of Northern Securities stock and a cash bonus of $8,915,629. For this he gave up $37,230,000 of Northern Pacific common, and $41,065,000 of Northern Pacific preferred.

WAR BULLETINS FROM MANY POINTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, April 3.—[By Atlantic Cable.] A correspondent at Yinkow says the opinion prevails there that the Japanese will not bombard that place because the population is made up of Chinese who are not at war with Japan, and because a shell from the Japanese ships would be sure to strike the residences of the United States Consul, who is safeguarding Japanese interests.

The same correspondent humorously describes the speculation among the correspondents there as to whether the victorious Japanese, after defeating the Russian army, will stop in China, or go on to Irkutsk.

GEN. KOUROPATKIN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TIEN-TSIN, April 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Gen. Kouropatkin is now at Liao Yang, which will probably be his headquarters for some time.

REITZENSTEIN'S PRIZE MONEY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. PETERSBURG, April 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Commodore Reitzenstein and officers and crews of the Vladivostok squadron will receive 150,000 roubles prize money for sinking Japanese merchantmen. Capt. Baurtchoff, who commanded the cruiser Boyarin, will be tried by naval court-martial on a charge of having abandoned his ship, after she had been torpedoed, without attempting to float her.

EXPLANATIONS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, April 3.—The mistake of the Novoe Vremya in speaking of Lord Curzon and Lord Kitchener as brothers-in-law probably emanates from a rumor in circulation some time ago that Lord Kitchener was to marry Miss Daisy Leiter, a sister of Lady Curzon. The glacis theory, to which the Novoe Vremya refers, was contained in Lord Curzon's Calcutta speech, in which he said that India resembled a fortress beyond whose walls there existed on one side a glacis of varying breadth and dimensions, which they did not desire to occupy, but which they could not afford to see occupied by a foe.

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[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

REDDING, April 3.—No arrest has yet been made in connection with the hold-up of the Oregon Express, Thursday night, at Copley. William Ahern, the railroad detective, said tonight:

"The people seem to expect that we must capture the bandits right away, if not today, at least tomorrow. They forget that the robbers probably planned their escape for a month before holding up the train. We can't turn around in a day or two and uncover their tracks, especially when we have absolutely nothing to work on."

The work being done by officials now is principally that done by detectives whose number was added to today by J. J. White of San Francisco, representing Wells, Fargo & Company. Sheriff Richardson is aiding them in every way possible, but feels that the services of himself and force will be more in demand when the bandits are located than at present. Since the Kennet clew of yesterday, resulted in the suspects proving a complete alibi, the situation, as regards the apprehension of the robbers, is as dark as it was the morning subsequent to the killing of Messenger O'Neill. The detectives are following up every possible clew. They have worked from the first on the belief that the train robbers reside in this vicinity. Everything they say goes to show that. None but men perfectly familiar with the territory could have given the directions to Engineer Joesink that the three masked men did as they were being hurriedly drawn away from the scene of their crime.

"That makes it one of the hardest kind of cases," said Detective O'Brien tonight. "The highwaymen reach their homes, dispose of all signs of their crime, resume their air of respectability, and in such an affair as this, where there is nothing to work on, make it an awfully hard case to ferret out."

The detectives were working along different lines today. Ahern and White went north on a freight, not giving out their destination. It is believed the journey was made to accompany White, who arrived here only this morning, with the scene of the [illegible]

C. Crowley, chief special agent for the Southern Pacific Company went last night at Keswick, and returned to the smelter town today. He has nothing to give out as to the line of his work. O'Brien stayed in Redding today. Constable F. Kidreane and Deputy Sheriff Bud Crume went out to the Sulphur Creek section of the Buckeye region and ran down a false rumor. A miner had reported that, as he sat washing a pan of dirt for gold, three armed strangers passed near him and failed to answer his friendly salutation. The officers found that the three men were residents of the neighborhood, out after game, and had not felt it incumbent upon them to answer the greeting of a stranger.

Six weeks after the Weaverville stage was held-up, last year, the officers learned that, immediately after the hold-up, three suspicious characters had occupied a cabin for several days on the North Fork of Clear Creek, at a point in the mountains out of French Gulch. Deputy Sheriff Foster left for the cabin, working on the theory that the same men who held-up the stage held-up the train, and may again be rendezvoused in the old cabin in the mountains. Detective Ahern reports that he learned today from Anderson, twelve miles south of Redding, that March 25, six days before the hold-up, a stranger bought a box of dynamite in a store there. The salesman says he is able to give a good description of the purchaser.

A peculiar point came up today. Detective Ahern received photographs of two men who were recently liberated from States Prison and who were supposed to be in this part of the State. It was thought the ex-convicts might be connected with the crime. Peculiarly enough, one of the photographs was that of George White, the tramp who is being held as a witness, as he was the first person entered by the robbers. As he was starting to steal a ride out of Copley, the masked men made him go to the smokers, and then proceeded to carry out their plans. White acknowledges that the photograph is that of him. The officers do not connect him with the hold-up.

McCASEY FOUND THE LEAK.

FOUR PHOENIX MEN HURT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PHOENIX, April 3.—Jack Buckley will probably fatally hurt, and James Gibbons, Manuel Valdivia, and an employe of the local gas company named McCasey, severely hurt by an explosion of illuminating gas in the Palace saloon this morning. McCasey, with a lighted candle, was looking for a leak, and found it.

MONTE CRISTO OUT AGAIN.

ESCAPES FROM ITS SNOW.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TACOMA, April 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] After an isolation of four weeks, Monte Cristo is again in communication with the outer world. Yesterday rotary snowplows succeeded in clearing the tracks of the Everett and Monte Cristo road between the towns named. The first passenger train in several weeks reached Monte Cristo today. During that time the town has been completely shut off from supplies and from mail, excepting that couriers have several times forced their way to Silverton, returning with a few papers. The snow was found to be nearly six feet deep over the townsite, which is located almost in the heart of the Cascade Mountains.

The weight of snow crushed in the roof of the railroad roundhouse, and a snowslide had struck the Vanner rooms of the Monte Cristo concentrator, causing the roof there to give way, also. For several days the weather has been fine, and the lonely inhabitants were expecting relief when the welcome whistles of engines behind the snow-plows were heard yesterday. People had been living on salt meat and canned goods, excepting for a small quantity of game brought in by hunters over crusted snow.

FATAL INCENDIARY FIRE.

SUFFERS FOR HEROISM.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEATTLE, April 3.—In the third incendiary fire within two hours, early this morning, W. Norris was probably fatally burned while trying to save his wife from the flames. Mrs. Norris was let down from a second-story window by her husband, just after his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Robert Norris, had saved her baby by breaking through a window on the first floor. At the time the department apparatus was returning from a fire in a lodging house a few blocks away.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Hold-up in the Mission.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—Two young men, with handkerchiefs concealing their faces, tonight entered the bar-room connected with the grocery of John O'Brien in the Mission district. With revolvers displayed, they ordered the three occupants of the place to throw up their hands. One man named O'Callaghan was slow in obeying and a shot was fired at him. The bullet missed, and one of the robbers knocked O'Callaghan down with the butt of his revolver. The second man, Daniel Ford, was robbed of a gold watch and some silver, and O'Brien's cash drawer, containing about $4, was emptied. The robbers then ran away.

LABOR.

TROOPS LEAVING TELLURIDE.

THEY ARE ORDERED AWAY TO THEIR HOME STATIONS.

Five Military Prisoners and Seven Deported Men Taken as Far as Ridgeway—President Moyar of the Western Federation of Miners Still in Custody—No Settlement.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

DENVER (Colo.) April 3.—According to special dispatches from Telluride, all of the troops sent there when martial law was reestablished ten days ago, with the exception of the Meeker Cavalry, and the Home troop, left the camp today under orders to proceed to their home stations. This leaves less than one hundred militiamen at Camp Telluride. The returning soldiers traveled in two special trains, and with them were five military prisoners and seven others, deported by orders of the military. They were taken as far as Ridgeway and instructed to remain away from Telluride. Several of the deported men had previously been evicted, and had returned to Telluride under protection of the injunction issued by Judge Stevens of Ouray. It is said that the five prisoners referred to had requested Adjt.-Gen. Bell to order their removal from the district, so that they might secure their freedom from confinement. Bell still remains in Telluride, and in active command of the troops.

Three of the men deported by the citizens of Telluride March 14 returned last night, and thus far have not been interfered with. President Moyer of the Western Federation of Miners, who was arrested by Sheriff Hutan of Telluride on the charge of desecrating the flag, is still a prisoner, although enjoying a measure of freedom. He is allowed to occupy quarters at the hotel under guard.

The report of an understanding having been reached between the mine operators and the unions for a settlement of the strike in San Miguel county is denied by all the mine managers. Several go so far as to say they will not deal with the unions in any capacity.

ILLINOIS AGREEMENT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) April 3.—The Illinois Miners and Operators today signed the State agreement, effective for two years. When the joint convention met today, there was not one dissenting vote against the agreement reached by the joint Scale Committee.

EXPLOSION IN BANK.

Three Persons Killed and Several Injured at Albia, Ia.—Several Stores Burn.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MARSHALTOWN (Iowa) April 3.—An explosion in the Citizens' National Bank building at Albia today resulted in three persons being killed and several injured.

The dead:

R. RAMSAY.

EDWARD DOUGHERTY.

RICHARD GRIMES.

The explosion is supposed to have been in the heating plant. Besides the bank, a clothing store and two grocery stores were destroyed by fire.

MOVING SUGAR FACTORY.

BINGHAMTON (N. Y.) April 3.—The work of dismantling the Binghamton beet sugar factory, which is to be removed to Blackfoot, Idaho, will be begun within a few days. The change is made because it has been difficult to persuade the farmers here to raise enough beets to successfully operate the plant. The Idaho soil and climate are well adapted to beet culture, and farmers there are eager to contract to raise enough to supply the factory. Already 4000 acres have been contracted for near Blackfoot, more than were ever contracted for within a radius of 100 miles of Binghamton. The company is capitalized at $400,000.

IRISH OPOSE ALLIANCE.

CLEVELAND (O.) April 3.—The Irish Nationalists of this city have adopted strong resolutions protesting against an arbitration treaty between the United States and Great Britain. The views of George Washington, relative to the danger of alliances with foreign powers are cited, and the opinion is expressed that such a treaty between the United States and Great Britain would be an undesirable condition to the others of the European powers, and would tend to disrupt and destroy the friendly relations that now exist between the United States and those countries. A copy of the protest will be sent to Senators Foraker and Dick.

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WASHINGTON.

THINGS FOR CONSIDERING.

Postoffice and Panama Bills in the Senate.

Impeachment of Swayne in the Lower House.

Report of McCall Investigation Committee Later.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, April 3.—The early part of the present week will be devoted to postoffice appropriation bills, and when those measures are disposed of, the Panama Canal Bill will be taken up. The canal bill will be among the few measures other than appropriation bills that will receive attention before final adjournment. It is expected that the amendments will be debated at some length, and it is understood that amendments to it will be offered by Senators on both sides of the Chamber. It is expected that by the time the canal bill shall be disposed of, the Sundry Civil Bill will have been reported from the committee, whereupon it will be considered.

During the week, there will be discussions of various other bills, including the bill for the protection of the President, on which Mr. Hoar will speak Monday; the Pure Food Bill, on which Mr. Heyburn will speak Tuesday, and the Chinese Exclusion Bill, which will be discussed Wednesday by Mr. Patterson, Thursday will be devoted to eulogies on the late Senator Hanna.

The Swayne impeachment resolution will be the feature of the proceedings in the House this week. Legislation for the District of Columbia will have the right-of-way part of Monday, and the remainder of the day will be utilized for the passage of bills under suspension of the rules. Tuesday and Wednesday, the conference report to the District of Columbia Appripriation Bill, to which the Senate has made amendments, will take precedence, and the Military Academy Bill will be disposed of during this time, as will conference reports on several minor House bills.

Thursday, the Swayne impeachment case will be called up, and present indications are that debate in this subject will consume the balance of the week. The report of the McCall investigation committee is looked for the latter part of the week.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

Postmaster-General Better.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—Postmaster-General Payne's condition has improved sufficiently to permit him to come downstairs. He was anxious to go out for a drive today, but this was deemed inadvisable because of the cool weather.

Fred R. Strong.

PORTLAND (Or.) April 3.—Fred R. Strong, one of the most prominent lawyers of Oregon, died very suddenly in this city today of heart trouble, caused by nervous prostration. He was 52 years of age.

Patrick Henry Winston.

SPOKANE (Wash.) April 3.—Patrick Henry Winston, former Attorney-General of Washington, at one time United States District Attorney and editor of Winston's Weekly, died suddenly of heart failure this morning.

MORMON CONFERENCE.

More Than Ten Thousand Church Members Hear President Smith and Apostle Lyman.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SALT LAKE, April 3.—The seventy-fourth annual conference of the Mormon Church was opened in the Tabernacle today, and was attended by more than ten thousand church members. President Joseph F. Smith, in his opening speech, expressed gratification at the large attendance, and especially at the presence of many who came from long distances. He dwelt upon the divine protection that had been given to the church, and claimed he could see the hand of God in its growth. Apostle Francis M. Lyman, in the course of his remarks, said: "We are here that we may have posterity. We are here that we may multiply and replenish the earth."

In speaking of the doctrine of divine revelations, Apostle Lyman said: "When President Smith stands up to speak, we know God is with him. We know that the Lord speaks through that man. It is the mind of the Lord, the purpose of the Lord."

No reference was made to the recent investigation of Senator Smoot at Washington, and polygamy was not mentioned.

DID NOT GIVE WAY.

BELLEFONTAINE (O.) April 3.—The levees of the Lewiston reservoir, although weak and insecure in many places, did not give way during last night, notwithstanding a wall of water three feet in height was whipped over the embankments by a strong north wind, which blew throughout the entire night. Today the wind has abated, and the pressure of the water against the levees has been so greatly reduced that, providing there is no more rain or wind during the next forty-eight hours, the danger of a break will be at an end.

LOAN FOR PORTO RICO.

NEW YORK, April 3.—Among the passengers who arrived today on board the steamer Coamo, from Porto Rico, were Treasurer Willoughby, Auditor Post and Manuel S. Domenech, members of the House of Delegates, who come to consult the Secretary of the Treasury about placing a loan for general improvements in Porto Rico.

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"BIG GUNS FOR INDIA."

St. Petersburg Newspapers Say There is No Reason for Apprehension Regarding a Friendly Agreement Concerning Thibet.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, April 3.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The newspapers continue to dicuss the British expedition in Thibet and the speech of the Viceroy of India, Lord Curzon of Kedleston, March 30, at Calcutta, but most of them in a singularly dispassionate tone.

The Bourse Gazette openly suggests that King Edward is planning an entente between Great Britain and Russia and then says: "There is no need for alarm. We have been accustomed since the days of Disraeli and Salisbury to such veiled threats (referring to Lord Curzon's speech.) Indian Secretary Brodrick's announcement of big guns for India has broken no bones, nor is anyone frightened by the forthcoming British naval demonstration in the Mediterranean. The fact is that the British foreign policy is now in higher hands than Lord Curzon's and we all know that a sincere, peaceful and loyal influence is being exerted by King Edward. There is no longer doubt of British neutrality, and there is no reason for apprehension regarding the promise of a friendly agreement with Russia concerning Thibet. We are only curious to see how Great Britain will explain armed aggression in a Chinese province."

The Russ says that Great Britain took a leaf out of Japan's book on the way to open hostilities by attacking the Thibetans without a declaration of war.

The Novoe Vremya says: "The American millionaires have changed the destinies of India. Since Lord Curzon became Lord Kitchener's brother-in-law, their personalities seem to have been merged. Curzon spoke with the words of Kitchener on the glacis theory and Kitchener adopted the policy of Curzon in sending an alleged diplomatic mission into Thibet. The glacis theory is all right, so long as it has to do with unarmed foes."

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, April 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Easter Sunday in Chicago was clear and cold. The sun shone brightly, but a brisk north wind rather curtailed the pleasure of the day. Combinations of gaily-decked spring hats and winter furs were frequent in the throngs that promenaded the avenues and boulevards. The maximum temperature was 31 deg.; minimum 27. Middle West temperatures: Alpena, 30; Bismarck, 54; Cairo, 46; Cheyenne, 46; Cincinnati, 38; Cleveland, 28; Davenport, 40; Denver, 54; Des Moines, 42; Detroit, 52; Dodge City, 52; Dubuque, 40; Duluth, 34; Edmonton, 44; Escanaba, 30; Grand Rapids, 38; Green Bay, 36; Helena, 58; Huron, 50; Indianapolis, 40; Kansas City, 44; Marquette, 28; Memphis, 42; Milwaukee, 30; Minnedosa, 42; North Platte, 44; Omaha, 46; Rapid City, 48; St. Louis, 42; St. Paul, 42; Sault Saint Marie, 26; Springfield, Ill., 40; Springfield, Mo., 48; Wichita, 52.

ITALIAN FAMILY SUICIDE.

In a fit of jealous rage, Michael Buscola shot and killed his father-in-law, Giacoma Rovanson, in their home, No. 115 Grand avenue, tonight, and then shot himself. The elder man had taken the part of John Zappel, the object of Buscola's jealousy. Zappel saved himself from a bullet by hasty flight. The murder and suicide took place in the sight of Buscola's wife, who caused the tragedy by permitting Zappel to call on her.

DOWNE CHANGES ITINERARY.

Fearing that in India he would not be given the protection afforded him by the authorities of Australia, John Alexander Dowie has made a radical change in his itinerary, and instead of a long visit to the Hindoos, will go directly to Europe from Australia.

CALIFORNIA HIGH JUMPER.

Caoch Stagg has found a new high jumper. Ralph Gowan, a medical student from California, reported to the maroon leader today. He says that he has a record of 5 feet, 8 inches, made while a student at Pomona College.

MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP FIACO.

The municipal ownership rally at Tattersall's this afternoon, was a fiasco. The great demonstration planned by the Municipal Ownership Central Committee, to be preceded by an imposing street parade of trades unionists, Turner societies and public ownership enthusiasts, failed to materialize. The day was set to mark the climax of the long campaign of agitation in favor of the "little ballot" and when the leaders of the movement marched into Tattersall's behind the band, they found, instead of an audience of thousands, a few hundred people huddled together in the center of the spacious auditorium.

POSTMASTER'S CONVENTION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

M'ALESTER (I. T.) April 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Postmaster William Noble of South McAlester has issued a call for the organization of a national association of second and third class postmasters of the United States at St. Louis, May 18. The Postmaster-General has granted a ten days' leave of absence to all postmasters of the second and third class who desire to attend the convention, and all lines of railways announce reduced rates.

COL. CODY'S DIVORCE SUIT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DENVER (Colo.) April 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Wilcox and Halligan, attorneys for Mrs. William F. Cody, have filed in the District Court of Big Horn county, Wyo., a motion for a more specific statement from Col. Cody in the divorce instituted by him. They particularly desire the names of the plaintiff's friends, alleged to have been forced to leave the Cody house.

MRS. HUNTER'S SUICIDE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CINCINNATI (O.) April 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Wearing a wreath of roses she had woven for her hair and lying on her bed, which had been strewn with the blooms, Mrs. E. B. Hunter, wife of a prominent business man of Memphis, Tenn., shot and killed herself tonight in her apartments in the Grand Hotel. She was returning from an Eastern sanitarium.

STRIKE CLOSES CHURCHES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DES MOINES (Iowa) April 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Because of the coal strike which has been declared by the Iowa miners, seventy-five churches in Des Moines will close their doors until the present coal famine has reached an end. Retailers have advanced the price of fuel over $1.00 per ton, and the supply is about exhausted. The leading hotels have enough to last them only a few days. The decision to close the doors of the sanctuaries was announced at Easter services this morning.

KERN COUNTY TRAGEDIES.

N. H. Stoner Kills a Man and Gives Himself up—Clerk Kills Himself.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BAKERSFIELD, April 3.—Henry Thompkins was shot and mortally wounded last night at Cottonwood, about ten miles from Bakersfield, by N. H. Stoner, proprietor of a resort located at that point. Stoner, who is in jail, states that Thompkins entered the place with a knife in his hand, and demanded money. When refused he advanced threateningly around the bar and Stoner after warning him fired. Stoner brought the wounded man to the County Hospital and then surrendered to the Sheriff. Thompkins died today.

KILLED HIMSELF.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BAKERSFIELD, April 3.—Albert J. Pierce, an employé of the Kern County Land Company, committed suicide in this city at noon today. He had asked a lady acquaintance to take a walk with him and when she refused, he whipped out a pistol and fired a bullet through his brain. He was a single man, about 35 years of age, and leaves a brother, E. L. Pierce, at Signal, Ariz., and a sister, Mrs. William Hernle, in San Francisco.

AMONG THE DEMOCRATS.

NEW YORK, April 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] To ascertain the present sentiment among the Democrats of the entire country and with a view of forecasting the result of the National Democratic Convention at St. Louis, next July, the World has made a canvass of every State and Territory in the Union. The total vote was 1000; necessary to nominate 667. Parker had 816. Hearst 104; doubtful 78. Parker over all 632. Parker, exclusive of doubtful and over necessary two-thirds, 149.

MRS. GOULD IMPROVES.

NEW YORK, April 3.—Mrs. George J. Gould, who was operated on for appendicitis, continues to improve.

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PEOPLE OF PIRU DISPLEASED.

OBJECT TO BEING WIPED OFF TOWNSHIP MAP.

Supervisors May Reconsider Their Action—Poachers Whipping Mountain Streams for Trout—Lonely Sheepherder Hangs Himself—El Monte Forger Gets Short Sentence.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

VENTURA, April 3.—The people of Piru want their township restored to them. At the last meeting of the Board of Supervisors that body abolished the township as a matter of economy and tacked the section of country to Santa Paula Township. At the same time they legislated out of office Justice of Peace Guiberson and Constable Trotter. The claim was made that the township cost the county $300 or $300 monthly, and this might as well as not be saved to the county by making the Santa Paula Township officers do the work of Piru as well. But Piru, which is a big stretch of territory extending from the limits of Santa Paula Township to the county line on the east side, makes strenuous objections to being wiped off the map so summarily, and has petitioned the board to be reinstated as a township. The petition will also be accompanied by a certified statement from the County Auditor showing that the expenses incurred by the Justice's office of Piru Township for over a year past was an average of but $62 per month. In view of the showing which the Piruites make, it is thought the board will reconsider its action.

TROUT POACHERS.

The trout law made by the Ventura Supervisors is being violated in this county, and many fish are being taken from the streams. There seems to be a conflict in the interpretation of the law as to the open season for fishing, and some anglers are willing to take a risk in order to try a hand with the speckled beauties with which Ventura streams abound. The State law provides that the open season begins on April 1, and that county boards of supervisors may shorten the season, but cannot lengthen it. The Ventura Supervisors have shortened the season by making the closing date May 1 instead of April 1. With this technicality in their favor the previous trout fishermen are at work, and it is rumored that a lot of Los Angeles fishermen are hastening toward the streams in the neighborhood of Santa Paula and Piru with the intention of fishing. To offset this invasion it is stated that the local sports about Santa Paula, who believe that the May ordinance should be obeyed, are preparing to patrol their streams during April with shotguns, if necessary. In order to keep out the hasty lot of unsportsmanlike sportsmen. There is good trout fishing being had now at the mouth of the Ventura River and some excellent strings are being taken. As the location is in tide water the fishermen claim that there is no violation of the law.

HANGED HIMSELF.

G. Nachume, a French-Basque sheepherder, hanged himself on Thursday last at his sheep camp on the Las Posas, fifteen miles from this city. The body was discovered on Friday by persons who happened to be in the neighborhood. It was in a lonely place several miles from any traveled road, and had it not been accidentally discovered the body might have hung for months where it was found. The remains were placed on a wide plank and carried across the rough trails to the roadway, whence it was brought to Oxnard, where an inquest was held. Deceased was about 50 years of age, and had evidently killed himself through loneliness. He had no relatives in this section so far as known. Burial will take place in this city on Monday.

HERE AND THERE.

William Cummings was sentenced on Saturday to serve a term of one year in the penitentiary on a charge of forgery, to which he had pleaded guilty. Cummings is 24 years of age, and was a resident of El Monte when he committed the forgery at Oxnard for which he must suffer. He lays his troubles to whisky.

The wedding of Charles Whitmore of the Oxnard Courier and Miss May Elisabeth Wayte of San Francisco is announced to take place on the 14th inst. in San Francisco at St. Luke's Church.

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Miss Vallie Brown is home from Pomona for a short visit.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Eliza Arnold and Frank A. Shipley. The marriage will be solemnized at the home of the bride at Hueneme on the 17th inst.

Gen. Gordon's Gallantry.

Many stories are being told of the late Gen. Gordon, most of them relating to his chivalry and gallantry to women. A correspondent writes that he will never forget the general's reply at a reception in London once, when asked if he had time to be introduced to some ladies, "Time to be introduced to ladies?" came the gallant retort, "I would have time for that if I were on a cavalry charge." Another story, told by the same correspondent, quotes the general's comment upon seeing the picture of "Napoleon's Coronation," at Versailles, where the Emperor takes the crown from the Pope after he has blessed it, and, first placing it upon his own head then places it upon Josephine's, saying: "Josephine, I crown thee also." Gen. Gordon said: "The greatest military genius of the world, but he threw away the love of a devoted woman, and his evil genius pursued him ever after."—[Kansas City Star.

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OUT OF PAN INTO FIRE.

Uncle Sam Wants to Deal With Tom Hays.

Four Cases in State Court to be Dismissed.

Twenty Years May be His Minimum Penalty.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.

RIVERSIDE, April 3.—"Tom" Hays may escape prosecution in the State Superior Court on four of the complaints on which he has been arraigned before Judge Noyes. But it will be like jumping out of the frying pan into the fire, for Hays. He will not make the jump of his own volition.

Uncle Sam wants to deal with the bank wrecker on the four counts charging falsifying of the bank's records, and it may be taken for granted that our uncle will not deal as leniently with the culprit as Hays's friend, Judge Noyes, would likely be wont to do if he had the passing of judgment.

United States District Attorney Valentine will appear before Judge Noyes in a few days and move for a dismissal of four of the complaints filed against Hays. His motion of dismissal will be based on the contention that the State court has no jurisdiction over cases dealing with the falsifying of records of a national bank.

Mr. Valentine, in support of his motion, will cite the decision of the late Justice Stephen J. Field of the United States Supreme Court, in the celebrated Cho case of New York. Justice Field in his opinion in this case said:

"I am unable to agree with the majority of the court in the reversal judgment of the Circuit Court of the United States directing the dismissal of proceedings against the defendant upon the indictments against him found in the State court of New York.

"The 711th section of the Revised Statutes provides that the courts of the United States shall have jurisdiction exclusive of the courts of the several States of all crimes and offenses cognizable under the authority of the United States; and section 5209 of the Revised Statutes, relating to national banks, provides that 'every president, director, cashier, teller, clerk or agent of any association who embezzles, subtracts or wilfully misapplies any of the moneys, funds or credits of the association; or who makes any false entry in any book, report or statement of the association, with intent in either case to injure or defraud the association or any other company, body politic or corporate, or any individual person, or to deceive an officer of an association, or any agent appointed to examine the affairs of any such association; and every person who with like intent aids or abets any officer, clerk or agent in violation of this section, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be imprisoned not less than five years nor more than ten.'

"The Circuit Court was thus cognizable, under the authority of the United States, of the several offenses for which the defendant was indicted; and the jurisdiction vested in the court of the United States was exclusive of all jurisdiction of the offenses in the State courts. It would, therefore, subserve no useful purpose to proceed with the cases in the State court and thus ascertain what that court might have done or would have done had it possessed jurisdiction. Until its jurisdiction was established, its determination, either one way or the other, would be only an idle proceeding. It could not under any circumstances take cognizance of the cases charged against the defendant, and hold him under them. He was, therefore, entitled to his discharge, whenever the matter was promptly brought to the attention of the Federal Court."

The minimum punishment for an offense of the character outlined above is five years in the State penitentiary, which makes an aggregate minimum of twenty years, or maximum of forty years that Hays can be sentenced for in the event of conviction in the Federal Court on each of the four cases.

Mr. Valentine made an examination of the bank books, and declared that Hays must have been little short of insane to have taken such chances. He said the falsifications were in Hays's own handwriting and were apparent enough to make an absolute case against him.

If Valentine's motion is granted, the dates of the cases against Hays in the local court will have to be changed.

Picketing Worse Than War.

At the recent labor conference in Boston between President Eliot of Harvard and certain local business agents, one of the delegates asked: "Has not the action of the courts in restraining pickets from peaceful persuasions of non-unionists constituted a more serious menace to the principal of individual liberty than all the overt acts attributed to trades unions?"

"Picketing!" began President Eliot. "Gentlemen, we had better talk plainly. There is not any such thing as peaceful picketing, and we all know it. We all know that picketing is intended to deter men from going to work where there is a strike; to deter them by persuasion, if possible, by intimidation if not, and in the third instance by violence. We all know that picketing leads straight to violence in all strikes where public feeling is stirred up.

"Picketing, when applied in any rough industry that does not require a very high degree of skill, and in which there are numbers of men ready to go into the places of the strikers—picketing means more than persuasion; it means intimidation, and if that won't do, violence. We have all seen it; we know it. You all know it, and I think that from my observation of the talk and the writings of labor leaders this is the greatest fault I have to find with them; they don't speak plainly about intimidation and violence. We know that violence is really the only means of preventing men going in to take the striker's place in many industries. We must admit that. It is a measure of war, and as we all know in strikes in this country measures have been resorted to over and over again which not even war justifies."—[New York Commercial.

TRIO BOWLING BEGINS TONIGHT.

FOURTEEN TEAMS ENTERED FOR THE HONORS.

Class A Players to Perform in a Few Weeks, With All the Best Men Entered for the Honors—Taylor and Bowron do Great Work. Mrs. Bates's Great Score.

The Class B trio tournament, which is now the principal subject of interest among the bowlers, will begin this evening at the Monarch alleys in this city and on the alleys at Ocean Park. The contesting teams this evening will be the Monarch and Santa Fé teams in this city and the Long Beach and Ocean Park teams at Ocean Park. There are fourteen teams entered in the race and Secretary Alf Mackenzie reports more interest than has been shown in any other tournament this winter.

It is to be a home-and-home tourney, with total pins to count and will be played in series of five games each. Matches must be played as scheduled and no "blinds" will be allowed.

There are fourteen teams entered as follows:

Teams entered for Class B trio tournament:

Monarchs—Baron, George, McNeill, Mrs. H. C. Scott, Routzahn, Parkes, Heilman, Guh.

Santa Fé—Dutton, Keith, Graves.

Sunnyside—Lorenz, Strimple, McMillan, Heyer.

Monarchs, Jrs.—Collins, Holden, Baker.

Electrics—Ohlsen, Lambing, L. E. Bennett.

Commercials—Simmons, Harris, Newburn.

Westerners—Connor, Goldsmith, Treosti, Canasero.

Ocean Park—Burch, Rowan, Voris.

Belmonts—Spoor, Hopkinson, Forrest.

Pasadena—Miss Cara Huth, Frank Coty, O. A. Blattner.

Maples—H. H. Wahrmund, D. S. Beattie, R. Thomas.

Pasadena No. 2—Gus Oberg, Harry Walster, C. R. Wolf.

Long Beach—Newkirk, Powell, Struthers.

FINE MATCH GAMES.

One day last week on the Monarch alleys "Chicago" Taylor and Jimmie Bowron, assistant manager of the Monarch alleys, put up one of the best exhibitions of the tenpin game ever seen in this city, playing a series of three matches for a purse.

Taylor won all three and in the second series when he came through with 253 and 225, Bowron gave up as it was impossible for him to catch Taylor. The third series was fast enough to satisfy any bowling fan in Los Angeles, for Taylor finished it with an average of 234 1-3 and Bowron with 231 1-3. Taylor had the remarkable high average of 229 for the eight games, which is the best work ever done in Los Angeles.

The scores were as follows:

FIRST SERIES.

Taylor	177	221	233	681	227
Bowron	179	178	246	693	231 1-3

SECOND SERIES.

Taylor	233	224	...	678	226
Bowron	178	161	...	559	186 1-3

THIRD SERIES.

Taylor	223	234	246	703	234 1-3
Bowron	192	206	234	634	211 1-3

CLASS A TOURNEY.

The next event on the list for the Class A bowlers is a merry-go-round doubles tournament and there will be a meeting this afternoon at the Monarch alleys to arrange the details. Dysinger, Quinn, Lacey, Platt, Dee, Tompkins, Gilman, McCulley, Pearne, Taylor, Mackenzie, Conrey, Benfer, Lustig, Wilson and Hollen have stated that they will take part and with such high class men in, some good work is assured.

BEST LADIES' AVERAGE.

Alf Mackenzie of the Monarch alleys has submitted to the Western Bowlers' Journal of Chicago the high scores and the average recently made by Mrs. Bates on the Monarch alleys and the Journal states that while there is no official record of any bowling by ladies, Mrs. Bates's average of 229 is the best ever sent to the Journal. Her high score of 220 on the Monarch alleys is the Pacific Coast record for ladies' tenpins.

HIGH SCORES.

The following high scores were made on the several leading alleys the past week:

MONARCH ALEYS.

O. Harris, 200; F. H. Mellus, 217; Fassett, 222; B. Lustig, 213, 206; J. Bowron, 218, 212, 224, 211, 222, 236, 214, 268, 248, 256, 204, 203, 205, 268; Alf Mackenzie, 222, 207, 223, 234; E. L. Harrison, 248; O. Parlier, —, 229, 206; G. D. Case, 226, 214; Sam Crolic, 225, 212, 225; Fassett, 208; J. Pierson, 224; Ed Hollen, 222; Short, 237, 220; Chas. Rayburn, 230; Spellacy, 232; "C. S.," 208; D. Grant, 210, 236? C. W. Maxson, 235; Holden, 228; Collins, 200; Frank Wilson, 243; J. Benfer, 210, 230, 204; W. B. Needham, 251, 229, 200, 212; Barón, 211; P. J. Cowgill, 215; D. Gunning, 225; L. E. Taylor, 211, 206, 243, 221, 253; 252, 225, 233, 234, 236, 217, 202, 215, 234, 215, 216, 217, 214; Lustig, 201, 202, 202; Clarke, 221; Quinn, 204; Hollen, 203.

Nine pins—F. Underwood and A. Berry tied for high score with 8.

Bottle pins—Chase, 106, 104, 102, 104; Musselman, 105; Williams, 101, 103, 100, 104, 106.

Rubberneck—D. Grant, 108.

SUNNYSIDE ALLEYS.

Strimple, 216, 206, 211; King, 211, 204, 206; Scott, 241; Gorden, 205, 210, 225; Salyer, 212, 209; Lang, 201; Heyer, 203, 233, 232, 213; Tompkins, 206, 200; Bowron, 248; Coney, 200, 232, 209; Lorenz, 209, 222, 202; Lowrey, 202; Routzahn, 248, 216, 201, 234; Proudfit, 205, 225, 201, 206; Johnson, 244; A. Craig, 206; Taylor, 211; Dee, 208; Mackenzie, 235, 207; Mrs. H. C. Scott, 202, 203, 213; Mrs. E. C. Bates, 210; Maxson, 224, 217, 201, 215, 209, 211, 204, 207, 248, 210, 208, 209, 254, 230, 225, 224, 210, 202, 203.

Duck pins—Eisenbaum, 100.

ON THE WATER FRONT.

PORT SAN PEDRO, LOS ANGELES

ARRIVED—SUNDAY, APRIL 3.

Schooner Susie M. Plummer, Capt. Lund, 32 days from Tacoma.

Schooner Phillipine, Capt. Fredrickson, 11 days from Tacoma.

Schooner R. C. Slade, Capt. Sorins, 13 days from Aberdeen.

Schooner Soquel, Capt. Bennett, 14 days from Olympia.

Schooner Mary Dodge, Capt. Olsen, 8 days from Eureka.

SAILED—SUNDAY, APRIL 3.

There were no departures today.

LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT.

SUNDAY, APRIL 3.

Steamer San Gabriel, Kerckhoff-Cuzner wharf.

Tug Liberty, Southern Pacific wharf.

British ship Cleomene, anchored Outer Harbor.

Barkentine Retriever, Sou. Pac. R.R. wharf.

Barkentine John Smith, San Pedro L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Espada, S. P. L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Willis A. Holden, S. P. L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Ethel Zane, anchored Outer Harbor.

Schooner Manila, S. P. L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Irene, Southwestern L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Stimson, Stimson Mill Co. wharf.

Schooner C. S. Holmes, Ganahl L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Wawona, San Pedro L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Olga, Southwestern L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Ludlow, S. P. L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Fanny Dutard, E. K. Wood L. Co. wharf.

Schooner H. D. Bendixon, Sou. Pac. R.R. wharf.

Schooner Metha Nelson, Southern Pacific wharf.

Schooner James H. Bruce, S. P. L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Ludlow, Southern Cal. L. Co. wharf.

Schooner A. F. Coats, Southern Pacific wharf.

Schooner Susie M. Plummer, So. Cal. L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Phillipine, anchored Outer Harbor.

Schooner R. C. Slade, anchored Outer Harbor.

Schooner Soquel, anchored Outer Harbor.

Schooner Mary Dodge, anchored Outer Harbor.

DUE AT THIS PORT.

Steamer Santa Cruz, from San Francisco and way ports.

Steamer Pasadena, from Eureka, via San Francisco.

Steamer Samoa, from Caspar, via San Francisco.

Schooner W. S. Smith, from Port Gamble.

Schooner Meteor, from Port Ludlow.

Schooner Henry Wilson, from Portland.

Schooner Albert Meyer, from Tacoma.

Schooner Ruby, from Coquille River.

Schooner Expansion, from Aberdeen.

SCHEDULED FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

British bark Hawthornbank, from Antwerp, out 118 days.

German ship Asia, from Antwerp, out 126 days.

British ship Wray Castle, from Rotterdam, out 79 days.

German ship Bertha, from Antwerp, loading.

TO LEAVE—MONDAY, APRIL 4.

Schooner Fannie Dutard, Capt. Anderson, for Redondo, in ballast.

Schooner Espada, Capt. Sorrius, for Tacoma, in ballast.

Steamer Santa Cruz, Capt. Nicholson, for San Francisco and way ports.

WEDNESDAY, April 6—Steamer San Gabriel, Capt. Hamilton, for Eureka and Umpqua.

FRIDAY, April 8—Steamer Bonita, Capt. Gledow, for San Francisco and way ports.

Schooner Irene, Capt. Mitchell, for Tacoma, in ballast.

SCHEDULED FOR THIS PORT.

Steamer Alcatraz, Greenwood.

Schooner Bertha Dohlbeer, Eureka.

Steamer Coronado, Gray's Harbor.

Bark Reaper, Tacoma.

Bark Hayden Evans, Tacoma.

Barkentine Charles F. Crocker, Port Townsend.

Barkentine John Palmer, Port Gamble.

Barkentine Fortuna, Port Gamble.

Barkentine Robert Sudden, Aberdeen.

Schooner Spokane, Port Gamble.

Schooner William F. Witzman, Astoria.

Schooner C. F. Holden, Tacoma.

Schooner Muriel, Port Townsend.

Schooner Winslow, Everett.

Schooner Salvator, Everett.

Schooner W. H. Smith, Anacortes.

Schooner John C. Meyers, Everett.

Schooner Bertie Minor, Eureka.

Schooner F. R. Haddeld, Port Townsend.

Schooner Oliver J. Olsen, Port Townsend.

Schooner Alvena, Port Townsend.

Schooner Columbia, Port Townsend.

Schooner Mary Dodge, Eureka.

Schooner Lottie Caren, Eureka.

Schooner Comet, Tacoma.

Schooner Robert R. Hurd, Tacoma.

Schooner Mabel Gale, Astoria.

Schooner Eric, Aberdeen.

Schooner William Nottingham, Port Townsend.

Schooner Dora Rubns, Eureka.

Steamer Centralia, Gray's Harbor.

Schooner O. M. Kellogg, Eureka.

Schooner Ruth E. Godrey, Aberdeen.

The steamer Hermosa makes regular daily trips to Santa Catalina Island and return.

MOVEMENT OF "MOSQUITO" FLEET.

ARRIVED—SUNDAY, APRIL 3.

Launch J. C. Elliott, from Long Beach, with pleasure party.

Launch Fashion, from Long Beach.

SAILED.

Sloop Rose, Capt. Sjoberg, for Clemente Island.

Launch J. C. Elliott, for Long Beach.

Launch Fashion, for Long Beach.

Twelve sailboats for fishing banks and returned with fish for local wholesalers.

TIDE TABLE FOR SAN PEDRO.

		High.	Low.
Sunday,	April 3	11:36 a.m.	5:01 a.m.
		11:36 p.m.	5:07 p.m.
Monday,	" 4	12:31 a.m.	5:52 a.m.
			6:34 p.m.
Tuesday,	" 5	6:13 a.m.	6:39 a.m.
		2:42 p.m.	6:58 p.m.
Wednesday,	" 6	6:57 a.m.	7:04 a.m.
		3:56 p.m.	7:21 p.m.
Thursday,	" 7	7:39 a.m.	9:35 a.m.
		4:24 p.m.	9:52 p.m.
Friday,	" 8	8:54 a.m.	10:37 a.m.
		5:33 p.m.	11:14 p.m.
Saturday,	" 9	5:10 a.m.	11:39 a.m.
		6:11 p.m.	
Sunday,	" 10	6:26 a.m.	0:04 a.m.
		6:46 p.m.	12:13 p.m.

PORT ITEMS.

ALONG THE WATER FRONT.

WEATHER: Clear at 5 p.m.; wind southwest, velocity 9 miles.

The following masters of Pacific Coast vessels have been enrolled: Schooner Glendale, G. Grenvall, master; steamer Lagunitas, H. A. Hyde, master; ship Spartan, Karl Fjerm, master; steamer Uklah, D. P. Van Pelt, master; steamer Union, Fred G. Lucas, master; steamer Argo, Robert J. Dunham, master; ship Star of Russia, K. W. Lindberg, master; schooner Annie Larsen, William M. White, master. Capt. J. W. Ganreck has replaced L. Lorantsen as master of the schooner Crescent.

The schooner Susie M. Plummer, which arrived this morning brought 600,000 feet of lumber for the Southern California Lumber Company.

The following schooners arrived today with full lumber cargoes consigned to local wholesalers: Phillipine, from Tacoma; R. C. Slade, from Aberdeen; Soquel, from Olympia, and Mary Dodge, from Eureka.

The Sneezovitch Language.

Japanese spies were everywhere in the neutral ground between the two armies. Still, their slant-eyed physiognomy caused their expeditions to be undertaken only at night.

"Who goes there?" cried a Russian sentry.

"A friend," came the reply of the Jap in the shadow.

"Advance friend, and give the countersign."

It was a desperate moment. Quickly the Jap forced a huge pinch of snuff up his nose and awaited the sneeze.

"Pflood—kerchewki—sneezovitch!"

"That's right," said the Russian. "Pass, Buth brother!"—[New York Sun.

SEEING BY WIRE.

The Next Step Which Electrical Workers Hope and Expect to Accomplish.

[Pittsburgh Press:] Will the world go around some day before our eyes, wherever we may be? Will events a long way off be brought within our sight as they occur?

Time and space are disappearing fast. There is still alive the widow of the messenger who hurried to Rome to find Sir Robert Peel when he came home to form his first ministry, and Sir Robert traveled by the same means and at the same speed as the Emperor Hadrian traveled from Rome in the days when Rome ruled the world. Men still live who rode in the first trains, spoke over the first telephones and sent off the first telegrams. The very men who gave us telegraphs and telephones are inventing for us still.

And one of them, the man to whom the world can never pay its debt, is on the eve, we are told, of announcing an achievement with which nothing in the world today can compare. Mr. Edison, who turned night into day with his electric light, who made a little box speak so that friend may talk to friend across the earth, and the message spoken today may be heard after ages of time, is said to hope soon to invent a telephone which will carry not only sound, but sight—or which will bring, perhaps we should say, not only the human voice along the wire, but the image of him who utters it as well.

It is one of the great dreams, and, if the brief telegram which came from New York last week is true, most of us will live to see it realized. More than once we have been told that the great secret of picking up the waves of light has been discovered, and "seeing by wire" has been declared to be an accomplished fact, and the picture of an event two miles away has been actually seen, we know, at the other end of a wire. But it is the genius of Mr. Edison to change theory into fact, to bring wonderful things out of the clouds down to our common earth, and the announcement which has just been made means that at last the secret of the laboratory is to be the possession of us all.

Nothing has yet been made known as to Mr. Edison's method of making the telephone an instrument for reflecting an image as well as for conveying a sound; but it is interesting to remember how this result has already been attained by an inventor of whose invention we have yet heard very little.

Jan Szezepanik, before he carved his way to fame which may yet grow into immortality, was a village schoolmaster in Poland, the land which gave him birth. He had been to school himself, as we are told, at Cracow; had read translations of Shakespeare and the books of Dr. Smiles; had tired of the school curriculum, and studied optics and electricity, and was earning £20 a year by teaching fifty boys at the Polish village of Koryzna.

But today at 32, he is doing other work. Jan Szezepanik—pronounced Shtepanik—needs no introduction to the world as an inventor. His famous weaving machine will produce a web in as many hours as it would in years by the old way. Two or three years ago, in the presence of Francis Joseph, the young inventor established his claim to have invented a machine as wonderful as any of the wonderful machines of our time. At the Technical Art Museum, in Vienna, he presented to the Emperor of Austria the first tapestry produced by his new process, a marvelous allegorical representation of homage to the Emperor, containing 2,000,000,000,000 crossings of silk threads! More than 200 square yards of cards would have been necessary to the production of this web by the old methods, and the work would have taken perhaps four years. By the new photographic method the web was begun and completed in five hours!

Szezepanik did not leap at once into fame. The royal recognition came after long, hopeless struggles, which have been the lot of inventors and discoverers in all time. For two months he walked the streets of Vienna waiting in vain for the patronage of a minister to whom he had shown his inventions, and at length, his hope of government help being dashed to the ground, Szezepanik found a capitalist who listened to him and believed in him. Herr Ludwig Kleinberg, man of money and affairs, provided funds for a small factory in which the inventor worked for two years and a half. Misfortune dogged the steps of both. Eight times the weaving machine was set up, and eight times it failed to work. The capitalist was threatened with ruin, but the enterprise was saved at the last hour by a German architect, Franz Habricht, who joined the concern and brought more funds. Once more the machine was made, the magical web was woven, and Szezepanik was free to devote himself to the idea still nearer to his heart—the idea of the "distance-seer," which was to annihilate space and bring distant scenes to unfold themselves before his sight.

How this was done would take too long, and need too technical language, to tell here. Let it suffice to say that by a wonderful arrangement of lenses and disks the waves of light are transformed into electricity at one end of the wire, carried over the wire like a telephone message, and converted back again into rays of light at the other end. The things we see with our eyes, as the veriest schoolboy knows, are not what they appear to be. When we see St. Paul's Cathedral, we see a million, on many millions of rays of light given out by a million, or many millions, of points on the surface of St. Paul's, and the eye, receiving these millions of rays of light, forms them for the brain into a perfect picture. So, standing at one end of a wire, Jan Szezepanik sees, not a man or a house at the other end, but the image of a man or a house formed on the retina of his eye by the waves of light given off by the man or the house, picked up by his selenium disk, and received as electricity over the wire, and made visible on a photographic plate.

Seven years have passed since—for the first time, we need not doubt, in the history of the world—a man with only human eyes stool in a room and saw, reflected in the room, an image of something two miles away. It was the first experiment with the telectroscope, and it established the possibility of the inventor's theory. A lens having been focused so that the image of a church fell upon it, the plate was exposed, at a given signal, and in Herr Kleinberg's house, about two miles distant, Herr Kleinberg, Jan Szezepanik and Herr Schmidt, an electrical engineer, plainly say the picture faint and blurred, but recognizable—of the church.

Seven years is as a moment in the work of evolution which is changing the face of this wonderful world, and today men are still content in London if the telephone brings them sound and not sight. Too often it is deaf and dumb, as well as blind. But Jan Szezepanik has not been working alone to realize this great dream. A German inventor, Maximilian Piesaner, is a pioneer in the same field, and we were told last year that the French government was negotiating for the rights of the "spectograph," another kind of sight telephone invented in Paris.

It makes all the difference in the world, however, that Mr. Edison now promises that we shall see by wire. He speaks our language and thinks our thoughts, and he belongs, wizard as he is, in our own real world. It may yet be that we shall sit by our firesides and see our kin across the sea; that we shall be "switched on" from our drawing-rooms to be present at some great battlefield, and that the streets of all the world's capitals will be familiar to those who never leave the streets of our own London. Some maker of dictionaries in that day will cross our "space," and "distance," and "invisible" as words without a meaning, and the brotherhood of man will have come, not through religion, but through science.

RUSSIA AND UNCLE SAM.

An Incident Recalled Which Shows the Spirit of Gratitude That Was Given Expression.

[New York Commercial.] In the years following the "war between the States" (as Alexander Stephens always insisted on calling that little run-in) the people of the United States were not forgetful of the obligation that they owed to Russia on account of her attitude at a time of need nor ungrateful for the service. Back in the seventies, when Alexander II had a providential escape from an assassin the Congress of the United States passed a resolution of congratulation and sympathy, and two warships, the Miantonomah and the Augusta, were ordered to convey the handsomely-engrossed resolutions across the water to the Emperor.

A banquet was given to the Americans at the Merchants' Club of St. Petersburg. The toast, "The health of our masters and the officers of the American navy," was given and drunk with enthusiasm. This event was afterwar commemorated by Oliver Wendell Holmes in the following poem:

Though watery deserts hold apart
The worlds of East and West,
Still beats the self-same human heart
In each proud nation's breast.

Our floating turret tempts the main
And dares the howling blast
To clasp more close the golden chain
That long has bound them fast.

In vain the gales of ocean sweep,
In vain the billows roar,
That chain the wild and stormy deep
Of storied Elsinore.

She comes! she comes! Her banner dips
In Neva's flashing tide,
With greetings on her cannon's lips,
The storm god's iron bride.

Peace garlands with the olive bough
Her thunder bearing tower,
And plants before her cleaving brow
The sea foam's milk-white flower.

No prairies heaped their garnered store
To fill her sunless hold,
Not rich Nevada's gleaming ore
Its hidden caves enfold.

But lightly as the sea bird swings
She floats the depth above;
A breath of flame to lend her wings—
Her freight, a people's love.

When darkness hid the stormy skies
In war's long winter night
One ray still cheered our straining eyes,
The far off northern light.

And now the friendly rays return
From lights that glow afar,
Those clustered lamps of heaven that burn
Around the western star.

A nation's love in tears and smiles
We bear across the sea;
O! Neva of the banded isles,
We moor our hearts to thee.

This poem was translated into Russian by a well-known Russian poet and copied by the Russian press. It was recited at a banquet in both English and Russian and had to be repeated three times.

The Price of Brides.

We heard a short time back of the young Austrian lady who brought her husband down her own weight in good silver coins. In some parts of Russia, on the other hand, the French and Austrian plan of the dot is altogether reversed, and instead of the bride bringing her husband such-and-such a sum in sterling currency, the latter is compelled to pay his wife's parents a certain amount on the marriage day. In the Russian province of Kamyschin this custom is rigidly observed, and the amount to be paid by the bridegroom is not left to his own discretion, but is carefully fixed by the elders of the district, who have drawn up a scale regulating the whole matter. Copies of this matrimonial price list, as it might be called, are posted in public places. The price to be paid for a young girl of good family, and who is at the same time healthy and good looking, it fixed at the equivalent of £30. If she also adds to youth, health and beauty a fortune, the fee to be handed over to her parents or guardians is about £100.

In the country district at Kamyschin the price paid for a wife averages about £4 and no marriage can be considered legal until the proper fees are handed over to the parents or guardians of the bride.—[London Tit-Bits.

Trained Tortoises.

Japanese and Korean showmen, in addition to their skill as jugglers and acrobats, display a truly marvelous skill in teaching animal's tricks. They not only exhibit educated bears, spaniels, monkeys and goats, but also trained birds, and what is the most astonishing of all, trick fish. One of the most curious examples of patient training is an exhibit by an old Korean boatmen of a dozen drilled tortoises.

Directed by his songs and a small metal drum, they march in line, execute various evolutions, and conclude by climbing upon a low table, the larger ones forming, of their own accord, a bridge for the smaller, to which the feat would otherwise be impossible.

When they have all mounted they dispose themselves in three or four piles like so many plates.—[Philadelphia Records.

Human Blood Stains.

In murder trials it sometimes becomes desirable to decide whether the blood with which garments or instruments are stained came from a human body or from an animal. The difference could often be told by an expert, if there was not too much dirt mixed with the specimen, and if the latter was not too old. Until recently the microscope afforded almost the only means of distinguishing between various kinds of blood. The size of the little corpuscles—red and white disks, which, when magnified, looked like tiny checkers of coins—told the story.

Within the last few years a new method has been employed. This is called the "precipitin test," because it causes a sediment, or precipitate, to settle in the bottom of a vessel in which the experiment is made. Either liquid blood or a solution of dried blood in water may be used. Generally it is necessary to work with the latter, but the principle is equally sound in both cases. By way of preparation a rabbit must first receive certain injections that influence its blood. The latter is then drawn from its veins. A certain amount of this fluid—called serum—is added to the other solution, and the vessel is set aside. The proportion of sediment is greater for human beings than for the lower animals. It has thus been possible, therefore, to arrange a table of figures giving the indications for each. The blood of a monkey comes nearest to man.

According to the New York Medical Journal, the first man to notice this strange phenomenon was Uhlenhuth, who reported it four years ago. Not only this observer, but a score of others have subsequently demonstrated that the method is applicable with slightly less definite results to bloodstain a aged from one to thirty years, to blood mixed with many substances which render its microscopical detection no longer possible, and to decomposed blood.—[New York Tribune.

After Thirty-five Years.

In July, 1869, President Grant sent Orville E. Babcock to Santo Domingo to report on conditions there, with a view to annexation to the United States.

After thirty-five years President Roosevelt has sent Francis B. Loomis to Santo Domingo to report on conditions there, with a view to establishing a virtual protectorate by the United States.

The general purpose of Theodore Roosevelt is the same as that of Ulysses S. Grant. It is to give the islanders what they are still unable to get for themselves—a stable and progressive government—and thus abate the international nuisance of this abortive republic.

When a political question is squarely asked it must be squarely answered, unless it is to be left open and unsettled. It cannot be answered and settled by evasion, as was the Santo Domingo qquestion in 1870. For it then returns to vex succeeding generations. And the price of another evasion of the Santo Domingo question will be exacted, none can tell how soon.

Had the Santo Domingo question been rightly answered in 1869 that island would now be peaceful and prosperous. But it was evaded, and for that blunder the American people have paid heavy penalties, are threatened with penalties still more severe, and are just where they were in relation to Santo Domingo thirty-five years ago.—[Chicago Inter-Ocean.

War Develops Nations.

From the horror of war have come many benefits unexpected at the time. China will yet come to bless the day that she was beaten by Japan. The blood and agony of the Civil War made America a nation. Italian unity had its foundation in the humiliation of Novara. France made her way to her rightful place among the nations from the miseries of Sedan and the Commune. Wellington used to consider that the greatness of modern British arms owed its birth to Charles I. and the efficacy of naval administration to James II. For good or ill, it is from the stricken fields of the Crimea that Russia's present greatness dates. She stood alone against the world. Her exchequer was empty, her paper money no longer accepted. The great empire, built up by such labor and pain, was within measurable distance of dissolution. Sebastopol fell; Finland and Poland were on the verge of breaking away; all looked at its blackest. The conditions imposed in the peace treaty were humiliating in the extreme, but one by one Russia slid out of them. The tremendous development which has taken place in Russia dates solely from that dark hour when all seemed so nearly lost. To say that right over might has triumphed would be another matter.—[London St. James's Gazette.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PARKER.

ALBANY (N. Y.) April 3.—From a source so close to former Senator Hill that it may be understood as representing Mr. Hill's views, it is learned that it is intended that the New York State delegation to the Democratic National Convention at St. Louis shall be positively instructed in favor of Judge Alton B. Parker for the Presidential nomination.

Senator Hill and his friends now believe that he will control at least three-fourths of the State convention which will be held here April 13.

It has been during recent years an almost unbroken custom for the New York State Democratic delegation to go to the New York State convention with positive instructions. Only in 1884 were there no instructions. In that year, Grover Cleveland and Roswell P. Flower, both New York statesmen, were candidates. The New York delegation voted for Cleveland.

OBITUARY.

Princess Edward.

LONDON, April 3.—Princess Edward of Saxe Weimar died here today of acute pneumonia, aged 77. She was a daughter of the fifth Duke of Richmond.

GRAND RESERVOIR.

CELINA (O.) April 3.—The wind abated today, but a force of men is still working on the east bank of the Grand Reservoir, cutting trees and riprapping them into the lake to break the waves. Rocks and sacks of sand are still used as ballast. It is believed tonight that both banks are now safe, unless more rain follows.

Thirteen Innings.

SACRAMENTO, April 3.—California State League: Sacramento, 4; Oakland 3. Thirteen innings. Batteries—Brown and Kaymer; Pratt and Hammond.

Get the Best

Our line of high grade woolens for the Spring season is ready for your inspection. We make *good clothes* and you get the *best value* in the style, fit, and excellent work we put into them.

Shields & Orr
211 W. Second St.

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Oxford Smartness

Not the sort of Oxfords you see everywhere. But new styles, Oxfords that sustain the good repute of Innes footwear. Tan, plain black, patent. Men's or women's.

Innes Shoe Co.,
258 South Broadway
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THE resetting of precious stones receives the careful attention of expert workmen here. You should have your diamond jewelry examined for possible loosening of the settings.

J. ABRAMSON.
Jeweler and Silversmith
133 South Spring

Cleveland's Stinging Letter.

RICHMOND (Va.) April 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Grover Cleveland has written a stinging letter to a friend in this city denying he had invited Fred Douglas to a reception at the White House and had signed the Mixed School Bill.

TRY PISO'S CURE for asthma. It often relieves at once. All druggists, 25c.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Experience Teaches

The experience of those who have tried all methods of cooking has taught them that Gas is by far the best of them all. Can you afford to have inferior cooking appliances in your kitchen? Take the advice of "Experience" and invest in a

GAS RANGE

Sold at cost. Connected free.

LOS ANGELES LIGHTING CO.
HILL NEAR SEVENTH

SOME TELLTALE FIGURES.

It is with a degree of pride that The Times calls attention to the following figures compiled and published by the Brooklyn Eagle. They show to what extent Los Angeles was the center of great industrial development during the year 1903. The figures bear further testimony to the fact that The Times offers every day a greater bargain in advertising than any other paper in the whole United States.

NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING.

The number of agate lines of advertising published in the leading American newspapers during the year 1903:

FIRST SIX PAPERS IN THE UNITED STATES.

Los Angeles Times	10,545,900
N. Y. Herald	8,880,735
Philadelphia Inquirer	7,947,300
N. Y. World	7,715,871
Brooklyn Eagle	7,702,814
Chicago Daily News (No Sunday issue)	7,644,900

AND STILL IT GROWS.

The volume of advertising printed in The Times for January and February, 1904, compared with the corresponding months of 1903 show a gain of 5558 agate lines.

The Times printed for the week ending March 26th a total of 14,513 inches of advertising, which was within 75 inches of the number printed during the first week of March. Its nearest contemporary printed a total of 6745 inches. during the week ending Saturday, March 26th, as against 8251 inches for the first week of the present month, showing a total loss of 1506 inches, or over 71 columns.

[NOTE.—In this announcement, which appeared first in the Sunday Times March 27, 1904, the words "agate lines," in the preceding paragraph, should have been "inches."]

The conclusion is obvious. The boycotting gang and its organs are beaten.

ANGELUS FLOUR
Has No Equal

OPIUM FIEND TRIES TO BURN CHINATOWN.

AN unknown white opium fiend made a determined effort to destroy a block of frame buildings in the heart of Chinatown by fire last night. He was detected in the act by a Chinaman, who attacked him. The incendiary ran and made his escape, but not before he had been knocked down and his head severely cut.

The firebug was a white man. He appeared at a Chinese house early in the evening and asked to be let in. He was not known to the Chinese, but they admitted him. When he informed them that he desired to "hit the pipe," they put him out, they telling him that was not an opium joint. He replied that he had been directed to the place by a friend, and again tried to get into one of the back rooms. The Chinese occupants threw him into the street.

He stood in front of the place for some time threatening to attack the first person who appeared at the door, but before the police arrived he went away, declaring that he would get even with the "Chinks."

An hour later he was seen in that part of Chinatown again, and several Chinese watched him. He was seen to place two bundles of oil-soaked rags under a frame building. He struck a match and was in the act of applying it, when the Chinese tried to capture him. He saw them before they reached him and started to run.

One of the Chinese struck him on the head with a rake, cutting a gash in his scalp, knocking off his hat and felling him to the ground. He sprang quickly to his feet, scaled a fence on Juan street and disappeared in the direction of Alise street.

The Chinese at once notified the police and several officers were sent to that district, but they were unable to find the firebug. His hat, which was left on the ground when he ran away, is the only clew to his identity, and it is a very slight one

AT THE CITY'S GATES.

BOYLE HEIGHTS.

SPECIAL Easter services were held in all the Boyle Heights churches yesterday. The day began with 6:30 o'clock mass at St. Mary's Church and at the same hour a union sunrise meeting of the young people's societies of the Protestant churches at the Boyle Heights Methodist Church. The decorations in all of the churches were elaborate. At the Methodist Church last night a missionary programme was given by the Sunday-school.

Rev. Father Huppolite of the Benedictine monastery in Oklahoma has been at St. Mary's Church the past week, conducting special services for the members of the Basque colony.

Rev. E. Cote, who has been away from the city for several months, on account of ill health, has returned and has also been assisting Rev. Joseph Barron, the pastor, during Holy Week.

At No. 122 Gless street Mrs. Esther Speer of Santa Ana is building a four-room cottage.

C. N. Johnson is building a $1000 cottage at No. 650 North St. Louis street.

VERNON.

Rev. A. W. Lyttle and sons have gone to Topeka, Kan., where he will engage in the evangelistic work. Mr. Lyttle was the founder of the first English work in the Evangelical Association in California, having started the Sunday-school and preaching services in the mission on East Fifty-seventh street about three years ago. Through his faithful work the mission was deeded over to the Evangelical Association by the Congregationalists, and the building was afterward moved up on Fifty-fourth street and Central avenue, where a new $4000 building is now being erected. Mrs. Lyttle and daughters will start for Topeka next week.

South Los Angeles Camp, Royal Neighbors, enjoyed a "spread" at Pierce's Hall, last Friday night, and during the evening initiated four candidates and received several applications. The camp has placed Mrs. Mary Southwaite in the field as deputy, and is enjoying a rapid growth.

H. Thomson is building a small cottage at No. 1454 East Fiftieth street.

EAST LOS ANGELES.

Adam Rankin of Illinois and G. L. Whitham, an attorney in the Laughlin Block, but formerly of Nebraska, have just closed the purchase of seventeen acres at the base of the foothills between the Jeffries home and Avenue 37. This is a platted tract known as Highland View, formerly owned by San Francisco parties. It was bought primarily as an investment, and incidentally for homes for the purchasers, who were attracted by the sightly location, which commands the attention of people from the windows of the Pasadena cars as they cross the Arroyo bridge at Avenue 35. This purchase is wholly due to the construction of the new University line to Garvanza, which runs at the foot of this bench, and is probably the first acreage sale on that account.

Mrs. M. F. Billings was the hostess at a meeting of the Poinsettia Whist Club Thursday afternoon at the home of her sister, Mrs. Henry Kennedy. Decorations were in keeping with the Easter season, and were especially attractive. The score cards were dainty Easter souvenirs. A guest table was provided, the guests being Mrs. G. P. Rubich, Mrs. Roscoe Kennedy, Mrs. Noble and Mrs. Griggs. The club prizes were won by Mrs. H. L. Bourne and Mrs. W. S. Sylvester. The consolations were won by Mrs. C. R. Meder and Mrs. W. M. McKeag. The guest prize was won by Mrs. G. P. Rubich, and Mrs. Noble received the consolation. After cards a dainty four-course supper was served, the places being marked with fluffy little chicks and a fortune attached for each guest.

Rev. J. R. Compton, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, will act as moderator at the meeting of the Los Angeles Presbytery in Pasadena April 12, and will preach the sermon at that time. At this meeting of the presbytery will occur the election of delegates to the General Assembly.

The funeral of Mrs. Angeline M. Lewis took place Saturday forenoon, services being held at Paul's funeral chapel on Downey avenue. The interment was at Evergreen Cemetery. Mrs. Lewis was 71 years of age, a native of New York. Many years of her life were spent in Illinois and Minneapolis, Minn. She died at No. 2130 Pasadena avenue.

Henry Ross is erecting a $1700 building at No. 1832 Pasadena avenue.

Mrs. Sherman Page entertained the members of the Wednesday Drive Whist Club at luncheon, last Wednesday, at her home, No. 201 North Eastlake avenue. The afternoon was devoted to cards.

GARVANZA.

The Garvanza Improvement Association has sufficient stock subscribed to perfect incorporation, and has begun the work of making the plans for planting shade trees along the streets.

Crites & Myers report the sale of a lot on Tonawanda avenue from J. D. Tyke to Mrs. Sarah J. Littleton; one on Fayette street in the New York tract from Myers & Kuill to Mrs. Maggie Smith; one on Mesa street from A. Campbell-Johnston to John I. Wiley. The purchaser in each case will improve for a residence.

The new Pasadena car line via San Rafael Ranch is practically completed as far as the Church of the Angels and it is expected that cars will be running regularly by next Sunday.

Charles Quein has begun the erection of a six-room cottage on Avenue 63.

Mr. Howell is having the foundation put in for a nine-room house on Avenue 64.

R. L. Gridley is building a neat cottage on Avenue 65.

Miss B. L. Pettigrew of Washington, D. C., sister of Senator Pettigrew, who has recently returned from a two years' trip around the world, will address the Garvanza Child Study Circle at the Garvanza school this afternoon at 3 o'clock. She will talk particularly of India and her trip through its mountains and jungles. She will also speak of the motherhood and childhood of India. All school children, young people and mothers are urged to be present. Music will be rendered upon the new piano recently placed in the school by the Garvanza Child Study Circle.

The last regular meeting of the Garvanza Fortnightly Club was held at the home of G. W. Wilson on North Avenue 64. An interesting paper was given by W. R. Bacon on "The Effect of the Japan Current and Climatic Conditions Upon the Early Settlement of California." Discussion, refreshments and a social half hour closed an enjoyable evening. The next meeting will be held the second Thursday of April at the Garvanza Villa.

Mrs. Dora Quein is the owner of a $1000 cottage being built at No. 222 North Avenue 63.

H. I. Jones has begun the erection of a $1000 cottage at No. 230 North Eagle Rock avenue.

WOODLAWN.

The Maple Avenue and South Main Street Improvement Association has announced for a social meeting next Friday night, with a musical programme and a debate on the question, "Resolved, that the pulpit is doing more good for the public welfare than the press."

The new Sunday-school department of the Vincent Methodist Church was used for the first time yesterday.

Eight new members were received into Knox Presbyterian Church at the last communion service by the pastor, Dr. W. S. Young. Four new classrooms and a primary room have recently been added to the Sunday-school department of this church.

W. T. Huffman is the owner of a $1500 cottage now building at No. 3533 San Julian street.

Joseph Fries has built a temporary home at No. 3647 Adair street.

C. Nyby is building a $1100 cottage at No. 3660 Trinity street.

THE SOUTHWEST.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Franklin Sanborn have returned from their wedding trip, and will be at home to their friends on Tuesdays at No. 1515 Ingraham street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Vollmer of West Washington street have returned from their visit to New York City.

The Schubert Octette was entertained Saturday afternoon by Miss Lilia Vance at her home, No. 1645 Ingraham street. The rooms were prettily decorated with flowers, the color scheme being red and white, and refreshments were served in the dining-room. A musical programme was rendered.

The Child Study Circle of the Sixteenth Street School will meet tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Dr. Arthur Houghton will lecture, and Mrs. Lawrence will speak on "Unseeing Things." Miss Louise Beattie will sing. Members of other child study circles are invited.

Dr. Frank DeWitt Talmage, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, with his family, spent two days last week at Manhattan Beach, the guests of J. B. Merrill, secretary of the Beach Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Lincoln Brown have returned from their eastern trip, and are occupying the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Browne, 3219 South Figueroa street, during the latters' absence in Europe.

An "acquaintance" social was given by the West Adams Methodist Church last Tuesday evening at the chapel, which had been tastefully decorated by the ladies of the congregation. A programme of music and recitations was rendered and refreshments were served.

One of the matters to be discussed at the meeting of the Los Angeles Presbytery in Pasadena, April 12, will be the probable rebuilding and moving of the Grandview Presbyterian Church. The proposed new site would bring this church nearer the Church of the Redeemer, and it is desired to arrange parish lines so that they will not conflict.

SOUTH PASADENA.

The first annual convention of the Pasadena District Woman's Foreign Missionary Society was held in the Methodist Church of South Pasadena last week. Twelve of the nineteen societies of the district were represented. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. G. D. Whitcomb of Glendora; first vice-president, Mrs. L. Jewell of North Pasadena; second vice-president, Mrs. D. F. Hendershott of Glendale; third vice-president, Mrs. J. W. Shenk of South Pasadena; corresponding secretary, Miss Emma Parker of First Church, Pasadena; recording secretary, Miss Eleanor Briggs of Pasadena; treasurer, Mrs. F. M. Hart of Upland.

The residence property at the corner of Center street and Mound avenue has been sold by H. Hibbard to a Mr. Custer of Chicago, cousin of the noted Gen. Custer, whose life was lost in the battle of the Little Big Horn.

The regular monthly meeting of the South Pasadena Tennis Club was held at the home of Z. L. Parmelee on Palermo avenue. Games, refreshments and social intercourse were the evening's features.

For the city election to take place on the 11th inst., O. R. Dougherty and Ben F. Henshe have been appointed judges; William H. Kilborn and Thomas Moffitt as inspectors; Chester Cash and John C. Jacobs as clerks, and Frank Pierce and Eli Epeery as ballot clerks.

J. T. Reed has purchased a residence lot in Long Beach.

W. H. Kishbaugh is building for his own home on Mission street, near Brent avenue. His family has been installed in temporary quarters at the new home.

E. H. Husher has returned from his visit to the northern part of the State.

Mrs. M. Marble is here from Pueblo, Colo., the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. E. Thomas.

Mrs. J. T. Reed has been visiting friends at Santa Barbara.

Warren Hibbard is building a two-story residence on Palermo avenue, south of Center street.

HIGHLAND PARK.

Fifty Methodists of Highland Park have organized a Methodist Church here, the society being formed last Monday evening under the direction of Rev. E. O. McIntier, who came here recently from Arizona, and Presiding Elder S. A. Thomson. Mr. McIntier will act as pastor of the new congregation.

The official grade of Avenue 61 from Pasadena avenue to Echo street has been ordered established by the City Council. A similar work is to be carried out on Echo street from Avenues 59 to 60.

The City Council has passed the ordinance of intention for the improvement of Avenue 50 from Pasadena avenue to the northerly terminus of the street.

The grade of Avenue 60 from Pasadena avenue to Hays avenue, is to be established, preparatory to the improvement of that street.

PICO HEIGHTS.

T. R. Kafitz will erect at once on his property at the corner of Pico and Catalina streets a handsome brick block. J. R. Newberry will occupy the entire ground floor with a grocery store. The rental price, $50 per month, reaches the high-water mark for store purposes on Pico Heights.

Mrs. Lodwick was the hostess at a birthday dinner in honor of the eighty-seventh birthday of Mrs. McHenry of No. 1404 Catalina street last Thursday evening. An elaborate menu was served, and the evening passed in reminiscent conversation. Among the guests, outside of the immediate family, were Mrs. A. Lodwick, Miss Bessie Judson and Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Schaeffle.

Charles Barr of No. 982 Berendo street, who died after only a short illness, was buried Thursday afternoon from the family residence, Rev. J. M. Schaeffle officiating. Interment was at Rosedale.

At the Methodist Church last night the children of the Sunday-school gave an Easter programme. Recitations were delivered by Mabel Davis, Lillian Shropshire and Fred Cromer. A pretty feature of the exercises was the Easter songs by twelve little girls from the classes of Miss Lulu Huff and Miss Fay Young. D. H. Todd, the superintendent, and Rev. H. W. White made short addresses, and the chorus choir, led by J. T. Harvey, sang "Praise Ye the Father." The chancel was banked in lilies, forming the foreground for the beautiful Easter cross, made by the girls of Mrs. E. O. Sawyer's class.

The recognition services of the Immanuel Baptist Church were held at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Delegates from almost every Baptist church in the city were present. Rev. Robert J. Burdette delivered a stirring address, taking for his text: "Go into the land and possess it." His remarks were directed toward the building up of a strong organization, whose membership would be too busy with the Lord's work to allow envy or malice to have a place in their hearts. Clerk W. R. Taylor read the names of forty-five charter members, and announced the average attendance of the Sunday-school as fifty-eight. Pastor W. C. Clatworthy was assisted by Rev. Burdette during the formal organization ceremonies. The new church has an average attendance of sixty members. Prof. Yoder is superintendent of the Sunday-school, and Mrs. F. Crouch is in charge of the Baptist Young People's Union.

Dr. F. C. Shurtleff of No. 1414 Millard avenue had a very narrow escape from serious injury last Monday evening. Driving home after a late night call, at the rear of his own residence the horse, a valuable animal, plunged through the rotten covering of an unused cesspool, and fell to a depth of thirty-five feet. The aid of the street department was invoked, but all to no avail, and the horse was shot. The animal was valued at $500.

P. H. Hummel sells, through the Crescent Real Estate Company, lots 15 and 16, Hummel's Main-street Boulevard tract, to W. C. Kepple, to improve for a home; selling price, $1200. W. S. Lucas sells, through above agency, lot 23, block 2, Electric Railway Homestead tract, to Harvey R. Culp, for $500, who will improve it for a home.

A. J. Tilden, the contractor, is building a residence for himself at No. 1947 Dixon avenue.

D. D. Schurman is building a five-room cottage at No. 1716 Dixon avenue. He will make it his home.

A dwelling is being built for F. E. Judson at No. 439 Sepulveda street.

A. P. Beach has sold, through the Crescent Real Estate Company, lot 47, in the Marlborough tract, to David C. Foster, who will build a cottage.

Four lots on Pico near Western avenue have recently changed hands. R. C. Gilbert is the purchaser and the consideration $4000.

C. N. Johnson is beginning the erection of a two-story frame dwelling on the northeast corner of Twelfth and Hidalgo streets.

SISTER'S WORK IS FINISHED.

SOLEMN REQUIEM MASS TODAY AT HOSPITAL CHAPEL.

Bishop Conaty, Vincentian Fathers and Members of the Catholic Sisterhoods to Participate in Funeral Rites of Sister Catherine—Eighteen Years Here.

Sister Catherine is dead.

This simple announcement has caused sorrow to clutch at the hearts of a great circle of people, men, women and children, who have come in contact with her pure, devoted life of sacrifice for others in the past eighteen years of her ministrations in Los Angeles.

This morning at 9 o'clock the priests of the Congregation of the Mission will assemble in the chapel at the Sisters' Hospital and chant the office for the dead. A solemn requiem mass will be celebrated for the repose of the soul of the departed Sister Catherine, attended by the bishop and the Catholic clergy of the city, and the body will be tenderly laid to rest in the plot set aside for the Sisters of Charity in New Calvary Cemetery.

Sister Catherine passed from this life Friday night. Her last illness was very brief, brought on by a chronic heart trouble. She was taken ill on Wednesday, and expired at the time stated, with all the consolations of the religion she so loved and which she had so nobly exemplified for years. Like her life, her death was calm and peaceful.

Sister Catherine was one of that grand army of God's noble women, a Sister of Charity, and in her life work in this city she leaves a splendid monument.

Catherine Russell was born near Buffalo, N. Y., nearly forty years ago. At the age of 20 she joined the order of the Sisters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul, and after the usual probationary period passed at Emmettsburg, Md., she was assigned, eighteen years ago, to the Sisters' Hospital in this city.

She fulfilled various duties in the hospital, for several years being assigned to the pharmacy. During the greater part of the time she was in charge of one of the halls, and in actual care of the sick.

During all of her work here Sister Catherine exercised the office of sacristan, and was a member of the board of trustees.

Her sunny disposition made her presence a comfort in the sick room, and her evenness of temper and beautiful simplicity gave an added charm to her character. It is safe to say that not one of the many patients who came under this noble woman's care failed to appreciate her worth and to esteem her highly. Like her great Master, she "went about doing good."

The funeral will take place from the chapel at the Sisters' Hospital this morning at 9 o'clock. Bishop Conaty will be present in the sanctuary, and the solemn requiem mass will be sung by the Vincentian priests, Very Rev. J. S. Glass, D.D., being the celebrant. Other priests who will assist are Rev. James Cody, C.M.; Rev. P. H. McDonnell, C.M.; Rev. John Gorrell, C.M.; Rev. J. Green, C.M.; and Rev. F. X. McCabe, C. M.

Members of all the other Cahtolic sisterhoods represented in Los Angeles and vicinity will attend the funeral services.

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Single Table Forks

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We place on sale this morning a lot of Table Spoons and Forks in heavy massive weights at the extraordinary low price of

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Included in this sale are a lot of Pearl Handled Knives with Sterling Silver Ferules. Prices range as follows:

Single Solid Silver Table Spoon ..... $1.50 upward
Single Solid Silver Table Fork ..... $1.25 upward
Single Pearl Handled Knife $1.00

SAMPLES IN OUR WINDOW

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Jeweler and Silversmith

109 South Spring St.

VETERANS' SONS ON WAY HERE.

PROMINENT MEMBERS OF THE ORDER ARRIVE.

Frank B. Wilson, the Next Commander of California Division, Leads the Vanguard of Northern Delegates to the Division Encampment—Plans for the Week.

Frank B. Wilson, former Senior Vice-Commander-in-Chief of the Order of Sons of Veterans, U.S.A., arrived in this city yesterday by the 11:30 a.m. train over the Coast Line, and was met at River Station by Division Commander John A. Medlar and other local Sons of Veterans.

The future Commander of the Division of California, for no opposition to Wilson's election to that office exists, was accompanied by D. S. Cahen of San Francisco, Division Quartermaster and also captain of Lincoln Camp, No. 16, of the Bay City, and by Tony Phillips and Sergt. Thomas Moran, formerly of the regular army, both from San Francisco. Rooms were secured at the Broadway Van Nuys, and the party, after dinner at the Palace Café, went to the ball grounds to see the Los Angeles team whitewash the Portlanders. In the evening a theater party was formed, and today the visitors will go to Catalina Island.

The opening session of the eighteenth annual encampment of the Division of California will be held at Eureka Hall, Odd Fellows' building, Wednesday forenoon. Headquarters have been established at Grand Army headquarters, on South Spring street. Arrangements for the encampment are in the hands of Commander Lewis K. Blind and committees appointed by him from W. S. Rosecrans Camp, No. 2, of this city, and the prospects now favor a most successful gathering of members of the order. The California division has always kept in the forefront of divisions, and several projects of importance to the order at large may take their inception at this encampment. Advices received here show that the attendance will be fully up to expectations.

Excursions to Long Beach and to the Soldiers' Home near Santa Monica will probably fill out the week. Wednesday afternoon the local and visiting Sons of Veterans will take part in the Grand Army parade, and Thursday evening, following the installation of new officers, the annual banquet will command attention, leading Grand Army veterans and Sons being on the programme for short speeches. Efforts are being made to have this banquet eclipse all other efforts in this line.

MISSING HUSBAND LEAVES NO CLEW.

LEAVING a wife seriously ill and without physical means of providing for her wants, Charles Middlebrooks, aged 38, has dropped out of sight and the cause of his disappearance is as much a mystery as is his present whereabouts. For two days the detectives and patrolmen have been trying to find him, but they have not been able to obtain the slightest trace of him. Since last Thursday afternoon no person who knows him has seen him. There is nothing to indicate that he has been the victim of foul play. There was no known reason why he should commit suicide, and inasmuch as his domestic relations were pleasant, no person knows why he should remain away from home, especially as his continued absence will serve to increase the seriousness of his wife's illness.

Middlebrooks resided at No. 1248 Georgia street. On Thursday he left his home saying that he was going to Pasadena to get work. He had talked of going there for several days and when he left he stated that it would be late before he returned. He did not return home that night, and when he did not appear on Friday inquiry was made in Pasadena and it was learned that he had not been seen there.

The police department was notified and an urgent request made that every possible effort be made to find the missing man. His wife stated that he did not drink, but those who knew him away from home are not so positive as to the truth of that statement, although his wife probably did not know what his habits were.

He had only a few dollars when he left home; not a sufficient amount to make it probable that he was foully dealt with. As yet no motive whatever for his disappearance has been discovered. The description of the missing man as furnished to the police is as follows:

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THE STROKE OF THE CLOCK.

In one of the large Los Angeles financial institutions there is employed a young man for whom the next few months will determine whether his life is to make for success or failure. With all the boldness, assurance and confidence in the infallibility of self which are characteristic of youth, he has walked firmly and buoyantly along the easy early path, and today stands, all unconscious of his peril, upon the edge of the chasm of obscurity and failure.

He is a "stroke-of-the-clock" man.

Every morning, at the moment he is required to be at the office, he appears.

In the afternoon, at exactly the moment his labors are supposed to end, he disappears.

All through the day he does his work with one eye on the clock.

No fault is found with the way he does his work. He is endowed with more than the average amount and quality of brain, he is conscientious in his work, and has many of the qualifications which make for success.

Wherein, then, lies his danger?

Just here: He is unconsciously drifting upon the shoals of mediocrity. He is unconsciously building a wall which will in the years to come hopelessly separate him from the world of achievement, honor and independence. His blood is slowly becoming poisoned by the mistaken idea that he does right to give just what his contract calls for—no more, no less. He is living up to the letter of the law, and cannot therefore be reprimanded; but he is forgetting the spirit of the law, inexpressible in words.

If he has any personal interest in the company's business aside from the doing of just that work for which he is engaged and paid, it is not apparent to the officers who are watching him. He does not know, does not care to know, has made no effort to know anything about the business outside of the work delegated to him. His labors end at a certain hour; others may be compelled to remain several hours later to finish their work; but he never remains to see if he can be of service to them, or to the office. To be sure, it is not his business.

But the business world does not want that kind of men—it is overcrowded with them now.

The man who forgets that there are clocks; the man whose going-home time is indicated by the completion of the work of the office as a whole; the man who is on hand before the wheels of business start to assist in the starting process if called upon to do so; the man who forgets himself in his eagerness to conserve the interests of his employer; the man who does more than is expected of him, and who works for the very joy of working—that is the kind of man the world needs today; that is the kind of man who will win the respect, the confidence and the consideration of his employers; that is the kind of man who will reach the top and become a man among men, instead of a groveler in the dust of a lowly mediocrity.

But the "stroke-of-the-clock" man—what of him?

Just this: When his hair is sprinkled with white, and the pathway of life stretches behind him, he will be at some desk, doing his work as of old, with one eye on the clock—unknown, unhonored and unsung. A negative character—nothing in him to reprimand, nothing in him to commend. The world would have gone along just as well without him. He has been in it, but not of it. There will never have come to him the inexpressible thrill that comes when a great trust is reposed in a man; he will never have known the unspeakable happiness of receiving the congratulations of his friends upon the occasion of his promotion; he will never have known the matchless joy and peace and gladness that comes when one closes the desk at night, turns out the lights, locks the door and goes home saying to himself: "I have this day accomplished something!" And he will never have been uplifted and glorified by hearing from his employer's lips those two priceless words: "Well done!"

There can be but one result for the "stroke-of-the-clock" man—failure. He will always be an employé who will not even know the measure of independence that accompanies a position of trust. He will never be an employer, but will be a nomad, remaining a while in one place only to be routed out by some man who is ignorant of clocks and who will pass him on the road toward success. And when the last page of the book is reached, and the last entries are made and the amount is closed, he cannot leave that record with the feeling that it will be opened when he is gone. No one will care to look into that book—it will be utterly valueless; for it is nothing but the record of one who existed, but did not live—who was never a part and parcel of the world, one who was never chosen to "carry a message to Garcia."

RIGHT PUBLIC SENTIMENT.

The widespread prevalence of "boodling," "grafting," and general lawlessness would present a most discouraging problem—a problem, indeed, well-nigh without hope—were it not for one fact that stands out clear and strong above all others. This is the fact that there exists throughout the land a strong, vital and wholesome public sentiment antagonistic to all these forms of evil. Born of this wholesome sentiment is a determination that guilt shall not be condoned, but that it shall be punished as it deserves. "Let no guilty man escape" is the prevailing sentiment in all communities. This sentiment is the impelling force back of every prosecution of boodlers, looters and grafters. Those who prosecute these offenders feel that they are backed up by the public conscience, and their zeal in well-doing is thereby immeasurably increased.

The saving grace of this wholesome public sentiment in favor of the right has kept our public service up to the high standard at which it has been maintained, in spite of the wrongdoing of those who have sought to debauch it for the ends of personal gain. It is, in fact, this righteous sentiment in the hearts of the people that has made possible our unprecedented success in the experiment of popular government. If the hearts of the people are right, the government, which is the creature and the creation of the people, cannot go very far wrong.

The struggle for pure government is a continuing conflict between the forces of good and evil. This must necessarily be so, in a government where all classes of people are represented. But the hope and promise of the future, no less than of the present, lies in the fact that the ways of the transgressor can be made hard through the thorough and fearless administration of justice. The man who betrays a public trust is a public enemy, and he must be so considered, no matter how completely he may delude certain of his dupes into the belief that he is otherwise. There can be no safe middle ground of compromise with wrongdoing. The trusted officer who loots a bank, the public official who betrays his constituents by accepting a bribe, the trafficker in public morals, whatever may be his rank or station, must be prosecuted relentlessly and punished according to his offense, if the success of popular government is to continue.

And it is to continue. Although wrong may apparently thrive for a time, the eternal verities of right will be triumphant in the end. The boodler, the grafter, the bank-wrecker, may succeed in covering up his crimes temporarily, but the day of reckoning must come at last. His sins will find him out, and he will be required to pay the penalty. This is right. It is just. The public sentiment which approves and demands the inflexible administration of justice is wholesome, and it is necessary to progress.

Field Marshal Yamagata gives it out that the Russians have been moving several hundred thousand men to meet the Japs at the Yalu, and that a great conflict is imminent. This indicates that Yam has gata line on the situation and marks him as a close observer and something of a logician.

The gasoline stove and the gas heater get in their deadly mischief day by day—but a man once dropped dead while he was combing his hair. The lesson is one of care, not of avoidance. There is an imp of danger in almost every modern device for comfort or time-saving or speed.

The able "gernalists" who have "resigned" two or three members of the Police Commission and appointed a new Chief of Police the past week, will doubtless hatch out a new crop of 'em during the week to come. They are like the boy who said he "had the itch and was proud of it."

It is said that fully 80 per cent. of the bees in Litchfield county, Ct., have died of starvation. This seems incredible, when we remember that bees have wings, and that California is on the map.

PROFESSIONAL FEES.

A few days ago a prominent law firm of this city sent to a client a bill for $80,000, for professional services. He had already paid them $4000 cash on account of services rendered, in a civil suit, which did not involve more than a few weeks' work, in the shape of gathering evidence and making a financial arrangement with the wife of the client.

This certainly looks like an exorbitant and unreasonable charge for professional services. It does not, however, by any means stand alone, or it would not be thus singled out for special comment. It is the rule, rather than the exception, for lawyers to charge "all the traffic will bear," gauging their charges, not so much on the amount of work performed, as on the ability of their clients to pay. In this direction, there certainly appears room for reform in the legal practice. If lawyers would have a reasonable fixed charge for services, as is the case in most European countries, many more people would seek their advice and assistance when they are in doubt in regard to business matters, and there would not be so many impecunious "limbs of the law" trying to keep up a bold front in shabby offices, while at the same time there would still be room for the popular and famous attorney, among those who have money to burn, and are not afraid to burn it.

The same remarks apply to the medical profession, where, also, there is a tendency to diagnose the patient's pocketbook as well as his pulse. The Times, in its hygienic department, has frequently called attention to this subject, suggesting that it would be far better, for physician and patient alike, if the medicos would make a moderate fixed charge for medical advice, by the year—in other words, charge to keep people well, not merely to treat them when sick. In this way the interests of the patient and the physician would be identical, whereas now they are antagonistic, placing an impecunious physician in a delicate and unpleasant position, when he has a wealthy patient on his hands. He is likely to say, with the apothecary: "My poverty and not my will consents," as he allows himself to lengthen the period of treatment beyond what he believes to be absolutely necessary. In China they pay the doctors to keep people well. When the patient is sick, the pay stops, and in some cases, we believe, where the patient is influential, the doctor's head goes off, in case the patient dies. We need not, of course, go so far as this.

A London publication describes a peculiar institution of the East End of London in the shape of what is called a "sixpenny" doctor, a physician whose fee is always sixpence, or 12½ cents in American currency. These men are said to be genuine physicians, and skilful. Doing business on a strictly cash basis, they run no book accounts, and treat, with a couple of assistants, sometimes as many as 600 patients in a day. Their annual income mounts up into hundreds of pounds—sometimes, it is said, over a thousand pounds a year. This shows the importance of small fees, and furnishes another argument in favor of the regular payment of physicians by the month, a moderate stated sum for hygienic advice and treatment.

Burton of Kansas has taken out his bill of exceptions. This procedure comes a trifle late. As far as bills are concerned, if the Senator had excepted and not accepted them, much chagrin and trouble might have been averted.

The Redding officers believe they have identified the Ogden express robbers because of the profanity of a certain crowd of persons. But let them not be too hasty. The suspects may be merely a bunch of golfers.

The Japanese Diet has passed a resolution, saying that the time is yet far distant when the complete victory will be won by the Japanese. The gentlemen are too conservative. It will be even more than that.

We are informed that the Bear and the Lion have ceased growling at each other, but there is nothing to indicate that the eyes of either have entirely ceased to wander in the other's direction.

That the sweet virtue of Christian humility has not entirely lost its popularity is illustrated by the high honors paid today to Sister Catherine, the devoted nurse and secretan.

The fact that Young Corbett knocked out a Chicago street-car conductor will doubtless cause some apprehension among those who aspire to meet the Denverite in the ring.

Postmaster Flint's salary has been raised, but it is hoped that this is not all Mr. Flint meant when he promised us that the efficiency of the service would be increased.

The "assessor burglar" makes it easy for the tax-dodger. He will claim that he is afraid to give the Assessor a list of his valuables for fear that official might be a burglar.

It seems to be the favorite diversion of a little bunch of little newspapermen in Los Angeles to take Chief Elton's head off one day and clap it on again the next.

The question which will soon be of greatest moment in this country will be how to compel the belligerents to recognize and observe the neutrality of the umpire.

Eli Perkins says Mr. Roosevelt is the only Republican Presidential candidate dreamed of between Los Angeles and Boston. For once, at least, Eli is not joking.

The idea of paying tribute to a private corporation for dustless roads makes the average citizen of Southern California sneeze, not to say snort.

Mr. Armour appears prepared to give a lifelike imitation of a good, robust "corner" to new grain exchanges as fast as they are organized.

In the matter of the Orange Growers' National Bank of Riverside, the Comptroller of the Currency seems inclined to keep the lid on.

An Easter blossom for the pessimist—larger crowds go to church in Los Angeles than attend the ball games.

The Japanese admit that the chances against them are 2 to 1. The wise thing to do is to play Japan for place.

Among the flood items we find a heading which tells us the "bank has broken." Watered stock again.

President Smith is not so many. We have our Mr. Bates.

IT HAD BETTER GO SLOW.

The rope is still swinging.

SHORTCOMINGS OF THE MERGER.

MORE OPINIONS ON THE ORANGE MARKETING QUESTION.

Member of Exchange Thinks Twelve Thousand a Year a Large Salary for Manager When Fruit is Selling at Ruinous Prices—Redlands Growers Dissatisfied.

The Times is in receipt of a great number of letters bearing on the orange market question. The points made in some of these have been covered heretofore in interviews with growers and shippers. Some new points are brought out by a member of the exchange who writes to the editor of The Times as follows:

"Some points bearing on the present condition of the orange market and the causes thereof have not, so far, been referred to in your paper, and it might be well for the growers to give them some consideration. The agency was formed for the purpose of giving uniform distribution of the oranges in the eastern markets and so preventing oversupply at any one or several points. The agency controls the marketing of 85 per cent, and the independents 15 per cent.; the latter only competing with the former in one market, viz., New York, so it seems strange that oranges are offered in all the markets in the great Middle West at prices that mean a loss to the grower, when the agency has no competition in these markets. If the low price in New York is caused by competition, what is the cause of the same ruinous prices in the Middle West?

"Is there a method in this policy of the managers? Is there some present or prospective advantage for them in offering the fruit at these prices?

"Regarding the salary question: Twelve thousand dollars may not be an excessive yearly salary for a man with the ability to originate methods of marketing that would give the growers good returns, but to pay so much to a man who is not capable of doing so is outrageous, especially when the growers, who pay it, are doing so at an actual loss to themselves. It would be more suitable if this officer would have his salary reduced to two or three thousand instead of holding secret meetings with the railroad officers and afterward giving a plausible statement of what he and they had to say. It would be more in keeping with his claims of interest in the growers, and might allay suspicion that his inactivity, respecting damage claims is not caused by some rebate scheme.

"The writer has always marketed through the exchange and thoroughly believes in its principles and in the combination of all the growers under one management that distribution may be more even. This is not trust methods but a combination of good sense and business principles, and it is no crime if an object lesson has to be given to a few growers in order to bring them in line.

"Regarding the present agitation and suggestions of forming new organizations; would it not be better for the growers to seek the negro in the present woodpile, shoo him away and use the present organization, rather than expending their energies in making new offices and added salaries?"

A REDLANDS VIEW.

A grower at Redlands writes:

"In common with other of the orange growing sections of Southern California, Redlands and the entire orange district of San Bernardino county are interested in the present critical condition of the orange industry. While perhaps the oranges of this section, because of their superior quality, have brought a little more money than some, still there is a vast deal of uneasiness and dissatisfaction among the growers regarding the outlook for the industry, and the questions and conditions which all are trying to solve.

"The Citrus Union and the alleged fruit combine come in for their shares of denunciation, though perhaps they have not been condemned as strongly by the majority as in some other districts. The fact that the independent houses in this district have to a considerable extent shown better returns for fruit than the agency has probably been the greatest disquieting factor. Yet the great mass of the growers believe strongly in some sort of an organization for handling the crop, rather than the plan of the so-called independents. They believe that some of the present difficulty must be attributed to wrong methods somewhere rather than to the theory of organization.

"There has been some disaffection from the agency in this county, especially at Colton, and there is no doubt that a great number of Citrus Union contracts will be cancelled at the close of the present season unless conditions materially change for the better.

"There has been much discussion along this line: To set on foot a movement for the withdrawal from the agency of all San Bernardino growers and the forming of a county association or exchange to pack and market the fruit. This plan has received considerable encouragement in many quarters, though it is still in a very immature state. Such an organization would be strictly cooperative, and would handle a large piece of Southern California's orange crop if it became a reality.

"Speaking of the Citrus Union and conditions generally the other day, a well-known orange grower said that he believed the orange growers would learn one valuable lesson from it all, and that was that if they hoped to put the industry on a solid footing they must cooperate in the fullest sense of the word, and thus put in their own pockets the profits that have and are now going somewhere else. He hoped to see a plan worked out."

RESULTS CONTRASTED.

A correspondent at Lordsburg gives the following figures as results achieved by two neighboring growers, one marketing through the agency, the other selling to an independent buyer:

W. S. Lincoln delivered 504 loose boxes of oranges to the Charter Oak packing-house (Southern California Fruit Agency,) and received $30 all told. S. F. Owen of La Verne delivered 429 loose boxes of oranges to C. E. Short, Pomona, an independent buyer, and received $151.70; both shipments were made during the same week.

RIVERSIDE MAN'S OBSERVATION.

F. M. Borden, a practical orange grower, has made some interesting observations. While other growers were trying to figure out just how much they were going to be out of pocket for the privilege of marketing this year's crop, Mr. Borden went off on a little jaunt of his own. He took a trip up to Portland, Or., and he made a careful investigation of the methods employed by the California Citrus Union in its handling of the citrus products. His report is by no means flattering to that organization. He finds that because of its ways of carrying on the business the dealers are dissatisfied and are not favorably inclined towards the Southern California orange.

Another observation he made, was to the effect that some very poor fruit has been thrown on that northern market, and, as the peddlers purchase the cheapest stuff they can find, the demand for good fruit is materially diminished. In view of this state of affairs, Mr. Borden advocates sending out only the best oranges, for he says the bad product greatly injures the sales of the best. He also discovered that the buyers are finding the oranges with puffed-up skins to be the sweetest and he predicts that this will prove a boon to many a poor grower who has been worried over the fact that much of his fruit this season has been of that kind.

MURPHY'S MINISTRY.

Great Easter Theme by Temperance Apostle as Basis for Sermon on Reformation.

In line with all the other Easter services was the regular Sunday night Murphy meeting at Blanchard's Hall, as there was not a vacant seat in the hall. There was a lively musical programme of solos, quartettes and choruses, and a season of testimonies from men who have been reached through the agency of these meetings.

Mark xvi, 9 was taken for the basis of Francis Murphy's remarks. He set forth the circumstances of the birth of Christ, introduced to the world by achorus of angels, announcing peace and good will; followed the career of the Son of God as He astounded the scribes and Pharisees, and established a religion without form and ceremony and legislative enactment, and anointed simple men to preach the doctrines of love and good-will. The speaker detailed with vividness the stirring scenes when Jesus was arraigned, convicted and crucified, even as He had declared, time after time, would be done.

Even His disciples doubted the promises of His resurrection, but when He did break the band of death and come forth from the tomb, the first person to whom He revealed Himself was Mary Magdalen, the woman whom He had redeemed from a terrible life, and whose love for Him had brought her to the tomb to honor even the dead body.

This first action of the Savior, said the speaker, in revealing Himself to this unfortunate woman was the striking proof that He was the friend of sinners and those who needed help. It is even so today, and this devotion to the sinner and the outcast reaches down through the ages since Christ stepped forth from the tomb, as strong and as far-reaching as in the days of old.

The appeal to make use of this fountain of sympathy and to cast off the perilous habits of strong drink touched a responsive chord in the audience, and many determined to sign the Murphy pledge of total abstinence from intoxicating liquors.

Mrs. Murphy and her corps of "harvesters" went out through the audience and did personal work, pinning on the badges and gathering up the pledge cards.

This band of workers will have a meeting this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Alexander, No. 1239 West Ninth street.

HOBOS FEASTED ON CHICKEN.

"CULLUD GEMMAN" UNWITTINGLY FURNISHED DINNER.

Frank Thomas's Love for Neighbors' Fowls Proved a Boon for Prisoners at City Jail—Story of a Bag of "Chickuns" and an Indignant Darky.

"Don't nebber ax a cullud gemman whar he gits chickuns," said Frank Thomas as he deposited a heavy sack filled with squawking birds and looked defiance at Officer Glenn.

"Dat am an insult to mah intelligunce. Case dese is mah chickens for I sot de aigs mahself and done seen 'em hatch out las' year. En ain' Mis' Jackson, who lib ober on Temple street, done ax me ter brung dese chickuns ober dere dis mawnin' and dat's where I'm ergoin."

Frank was caught with the goods on him as he was crossing the railroad bridge on Seventh street about 6 o'clock yesterday morning. Officer Glenn is a "cullud gemman" also, and he knew that Frank was lying, so prisoner and "chickuns" were carted to the Police Station.

When the sack was opened at the station it was found to contain eleven live brown leghorns and five dead ones which had been smothered. Great indeed was the enthusiasm of the prisoners at the jail when they learned that Capt. Auble had given instructions that the dead fowls were to fall to their lot, and at noon a chicken dinner was served. The live birds were placed in a box in the basement to await a claimant.

"Well, dis town sho' am comin' to a fine pas' when a respecterbel cullud gemman ain' lowed on de streets wid his own chickuns," mused Thomas as he was led away to the tanks while casting longing glances at the birds left behind.

MINTO'S RESIDENCE BURNS.

OTTAWA (Ont.) April 3.—The new wing of Rideau Hall, the official residence of the Governor, was destroyed by fire today. Some anxiety was at first felt for the safety of Lady Minto, who was lying in one of the apartments with a fractured leg, but her removal was accomplished without difficulty. The loss was about $50,000.

MARCH CIRCULATION OF THE TIMES.

The following is the sworn statement of the circulation of The Times for March, 1904:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF Los ANGELES, ss.:

Harry Chandler, Assistant General Manager of the Los Angeles Times, does solemnly swear that the actual number of copies of that paper printed and sold for each day of March, 1904, as shown by the office records, was as follows:

MARCH, 1904.

1	291,200	17	32,000
2	260,050	18	32,500
3	241,000	19	33,500
4	235,000	20	34,000
5	248,200	21	34,000
6	52,000	22	36,000
7	37,500	23	36,000
8	261,000	24	33,000
9	33,500	25	33,000
10	33,750	26	33,000
11	261,000	27	33,000
12	265,000	28	33,000
13	33,000	29	33,000
14	33,750	30	33,000
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Total 1,162,900

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of April, 1904.

(Seal) T. L. CHAPIN,
Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

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POLITICAL.

SALOON WAR REACHING OUT.

Campaign to Make Redondo a Dry Municipality.

Trouble Stirring for Trade in Santa Monica.

Los Angeles Brewers Taking Hand in Game.

The temperance people and the liquor interests are lining up for a lively tussle at the city election to take place in Redondo one week from tomorrow. The question at issue is whether a Board of City Trustees shall be elected favorable to the present arrangement of saloon licenses or one that will be in favor of still further curtailing the saloon privileges, and possibly wiping out the liquor traffic altogether.

The anti-saloonists have, as usual, been designated the "long hairs" in this contest for supremacy.

The "short hairs" are in favor of the present system, which limits the saloon licenses to three, at $100 per month. They would eliminate all card games and games of chance from the saloons, but they draw the line at total prohibition.

At the last election 206 votes were cast, this being nearly the full number registered. The registration for the coming election closed March 16, and there have been 392 names enrolled. The increase is accounted for in the general growth of the town, and the large number of people who have been given employment there, and consequently have decided to make Redondo their home.

It is this element of new voting strength that makes the coming election one of uncertainty. Each side is confident it will swing the majority of the new votes to its candidates.

There are three members of the Board of Trustees to be elected, all for the two-year term. For these places there are five candidates: J. A. Eppenger, a saloonist, who is known to be in favor of the saloons and who stands for re-election; Louis Culler, dry goods merchant, who is claimed by both parties and who is conceded to be in the lead; I. R. Ainsworth, secretary of the Redondo Railway Company, present chairman of the Board of Trustees, who it appears is "on the fence;" L. J. Quint, painter, prohibitionist, and Arthur Steele, proprietor of a planing mill, also a prohibitionist.

W. Hess and L. W. Wooley, hold-over Trustees, are both in favor of the saloons as at present curtailed. There were formerly five saloon licenses issued, but last July the Board of Trustees cut the number down to three, and passed a resolution to maintain only that number.

The office of Clerk, the incumbent, J. F. Barkley, editor of the Redondo Reflex, is opposed by M. Harter, an employe, who is an anti-saloon candidate. J. Barkley has held this office for the past eight years.

There are three candidates for City Marshal, E. P. Maxey, the incumbent, who has served for three terms; Capt. J. E. Smith and A. Gaskill. M. V. Slater, at present a member of the Board of Trustees, is a candidate for City Treasurer, as is also George Cate, present Treasurer.

The temperance people claim there has been a great change in public sentiment during the past year, and that with the influx of new votes they will be able to accomplish a sweeping change in the situation at Redondo. It has been intimated that, in case they fail to carry their candidates through successfully, they may, later in the season, take up a campaign for the installation of a straight prohibition proposition. They will be opposed in all their movements by the Los Angeles liquor interests.

SANTA MONICA RUMORS.

Unlike her sister city, Santa Monica will have no election this spring. Last year the city was reorganized as a city of the fifth class, with elections every two years; hence there are three years to elapse before the regular contests occur. There are, however, rumors that the present situation as to temperance matters is not to the liking of a considerable portion of the people, and that a little agitation is in progress for plans to again submit a prohibition issue.

At present there are four retail liquor licenses, held by the Arcadia Hotel, Hollborow, the Pavilion and the Casino, each paying $300 a year. Three of these places also hold buffet licenses, paying $900 a year each; and there is a wholesale license, held by Henry C. Ross, paying $3000 a year. This brings the city of Santa Monica the sum of $6,000 per year from its liquor licenses. It is said that, looking at the problem merely one for replenishing the city coffers, Santa Monica might have fared better, as one bidder offered the $3000 a year for a four years' wholesale license; but was turned down in favor of Aiken. This caused ugly rumors to circulate, which have not died out, and which it is said have their origin in the new movement for prohibition.

The big Los Angeles brewers are keeping a sharp eye on the game.

TRAINING SCHOOL OPEN

Home for Drilling of Christian Workers to be Dedicated With Two Days' Meeting.

The dedicatory opening of the handsome new building at No. 111 South Hope street to be used as the Training School for Christian Workers, will take place tomorrow and Wednesday under the auspices of the Friends' Church of Southern California.

The meeting tomorrow will open at 10 o'clock, with devotional and dedicatory services led by John Henry Douglas, of Long Beach. John Riley of Pacific Grove will deliver an address on "When the Spirit of Truth, is Come," and Edward R. Keats of Pasadena will speak on "Our Reasonable Service."

In the afternoon there will be a basket lunch, and at 2 o'clock a devotional service will be conducted by Bertha Haisam, principal of the school. Also in the afternoon there will be papers on "The Ministry of Reconciliation," by Rev. Levi Mills, pastor of the Friends' Church, Whittier; and by Lindley A. Wells, pastor of the Friends' Church, Long Beach; and an address on "My Witness," by Horace Goulding, who has just returned from the Chinese mission fields.

The evening session will be opened with devotional services conducted by Rev. C. S. Riley of Pacific Grove; which will be followed by an address on "The South Chih-li Mission," by Horace W. Houlding, its general superintendent.

Wednesday meeting will open at 10 o'clock, and will be an all-day session in the interests of the South Chihli mission, which work is being carried on by many who have gone out from this training school.

The spring term of the training school opens April 7 and will continue until June 18. The new building is three stories on Figueroa street and four stories in the rear. It has ample accommodations for all departments of the school, and students will be given boarding accommodations in the building. It is expected that a new band of missionaries for the Chinese fields will recruit here during the spring term.

MARSHALL MAY BE IN MEXICO.

EX-SECRETARY OF FLOOR COMPANY STILL MISSING.

Detectives are Unable to Get a Clue in Regard to Whereabouts of Alleged Defaulter—Mrs. Marshall Prostrated at Her Home—Amount of Shortage Unknown.

Prostrated by the news of her husband's alleged embezzlement and his sudden disappearance, Mrs. Nathaniel A. Marshall denied herself to all callers yesterday, save a few intimate friends. The former secretary of the Marshall Floor and Supply Company has disappeared completely and there seems small probability that the warrant issued for his arrest will be served in this city. Detectives have been unable to trace Marshall's movements since last Thursday.

Thomas Lynch, president of the company, is at sea concerning Marshall's whereabouts, and the full amount of the defalcation will not be known until the expert completes an examination of the books. One of Marshall's friends expressed the belief yesterday that he had gone to Mexico.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, April 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Herald Square, J. S. Daggett and wife, Pasadena.

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If you're buying linens to be embroidered — either sheetings, pillow cases or waistings—you want the very choicest. It doesn't pay to put such work on linens that won't last.

27-inch etamine and canvas weaves, all weights, 40c, 50c, 60c and 75c.

27-inch fancy white dress linens, 75c and $1.00.

(Linen Department.)

More new silks.

Lovers of silken elegance find the Coulter stocks an intensely interesting exhibit—and a constantly changing exhibit.

Among the latest arrivals are:

New Frison silks, 32 inches wide, in Royal and gobelin blue, champagne and cardinal; special $1.25 yard.

White Habutai silks (Japanese make) 24 inches wide, with embroidered figures and dots in colors, at 85c yard.

Exclusive dress patterns same as above, with fancy drawn work insertion effects, $2.50 a yard. Sold by pattern—15 yards—only.

Special for Monday and Tuesday—

27-inch charcoal Taffeta silk of the good firm quality usually sold elsewhere at $1.25, but sold here as a leader at $1.00. Monday and Tuesday at 85c a yard.

"Fasso" and "Redfern" Corsets can be had of no other Los Angeles store.

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25c to 65c embroideries.

Here's the best yet. New embroideries, in the widths you are always wanting; at prices averaging a third of their actual value.

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The lot includes embroiders, galloon bands, edgings, insertions, beading effects, etc., in Swiss and Nainsook. No cambric.

Many dainty narrow patterns for babies' garments 25c to 65c values, 15c a yard.

Also a splendid collection of colored embroideries—pink, blue, red, black, etc., on white. Edges and insertions of various widths. Some hemstitched. Values 25c to 40c at 15c a yard.

Above offerings hold good on Monday and Tuesday only.

95c for $1.25 to $2.00 wool dress stuffs.

The week after Easter is usually about the worst one of the whole season for the dress goods business. We're not going to let it lag this time—a fortunate purchase of a lot of fine dress stuffs lets us make this irresistible offering: 42 to 45 inch Paris Crepes, Lace Voiles, crystal crepes and fancy etamines of the grades we sell regularly at $1.25 to $2.00, will be on sale till Wednesday night at 95c a yard. Colors—red, grey, 2 shades of green, 3 shades of blue; brown, black and lavender.

Above offering closes Wednesday night, mind you.

Samson lining silk

Get the world's best lining silk and avoid the annoyance of split and ragged linings before your gowns are otherwise worn.

"Samson" is all pure silk—not filled like ordinary taffeta. The genuine has "Sampson" stamped on every yard, and is guaranteed to wear. All colors and black.

Fifty-eight cents a yard.

Aprons of all sorts

Artists' (or studio) aprons of checked ginghams, full length and high neck; also long Mother Hubbard styles for around home wear.

Seventy-five cents and one dollar.

Ordinary styles in the same materials at 25c and 50c.

Nurses' and maids' aprons and caps in the approved styles.

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White waist patterns.

Our wash goods department is showing fully fifty styles of white waist patterns—fronts of shrunk linen, beautifully embroidered, and two yards of plain linen to complete waist—at $4 to $10 each.

The embroidering is done with washable mercerized linen floss.

Some like above, only embroidered with colored linen floss, at $7.50 and $10. These are washable, too, of course.

Hand-embroidered waist fronts of shrunk white linen, $1 to $3 each. Plain linen to match, 36 inches wide, 50c a yard.

Underskirts Under price.

$2.25 and $2.50 values today and tomorrow for $1.75—just to keep business brisk while other stores are experiencing their after-Easter lull.

Underskirts of muslin and cambric with deep lawn ruffles, hemstitched tucks and lace or embroidery. Others with deep lawn ruffle and three rows of Medici insertion and lace edge. $1.75. Values $2.25 and $2.50.

Hosiery specials.

Women's plain black seamless hose of good quality—25c value—at 20c or 3 pairs 50c.

Children's ribbed school stockings of the 25c quality 20c, or 3 pairs for 50; black; all sizes.

Children's "No Mend" stockings with shaped linen knees—wonderfully strong and durable—25c and 35c.

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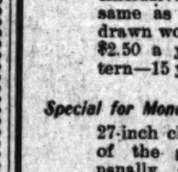

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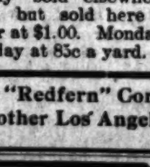

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Tournament of Flowers, Agricultural Park, 2 p. m. Battle of Blossoms; the Show of Flowers; the Tournament of Flowers; the Charge of the Mounted Knights; Field Evolutions of N. S. Artillery; the Great Parade of race horses; Trotting and Pacing Races; Dancing in Pavilion; Great Baseball game, Santa Clara College vs. Mayer Bros. Admission 25 cents.

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THE WEATHER.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, April 3.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.02; at 5 p.m., 30.00. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 48 deg. and 61 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 73 per cent.; 5 p.m., 63 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 2 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 11 miles. Maximum temperature, 68 deg.; minimum, 46 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—Fair weather prevails over California and Arizona, and cloudy weather west of the Rocky Mountains. Light rain has fallen from San Francisco northward. The pressure has fallen over the Rocky Mountain region and risen rapidly over the Pacific Coast. The temperature has fallen over Northern Nevada, Idaho and the eastern portions of Washington and Oregon. The rivers throughout California are falling slowly. Forecast:

For Northern California: Fair, warmer Monday; light northerly winds.

Southern California: Fair Monday; light west wind.

Nevada: Fair Monday.

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair, warmer Monday; light northwest wind.

Fresno and vicinity: Fair, warmer Monday; light north wind.

Arizona: Fair Monday and Tuesday.

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ARBUCKLE COFFEE, 10c; MOCHA-JAVA, 25c; Japan tea, 15c; 5 cans cream 25c; 8 lbs. rice 25c; 9 lbs beans 25c; 13 lbs. prunes 25c; 7 lbs. raisins 25c; 5 lbs dates, figs, 25c; bacon 13½c; picnics 8c; pork 11c; salt mackerel, salmon or whitefish, 5c. ECONOMIC, 121 E. Second st.

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SOCIETY MEETINGS—

VEDANTA SOCIETY LECTURES: THE Swami Trigunatita of India will lecture in Camera Club Hall, Wright & Callender Bldg., 321 S. Hill st., Sunday, April 3, at 3 p.m. Subject, "Basis of Christianity on Logic and Science." Seats free. Everyone welcome.

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WANTED—YOUNG MARRIED MAN WANTS work of any kind with some business firm where there is a chance for advancement; can furnish city references and bonds if required. Address R, box 34, TIMES OFFICE.

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The most reliable and experienced male and female help furnished; prices reasonable. Tel. Home 2662.

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WANTED—BY MIDDLE-AGED LADY, POsition as housekeeper or general housework with elderly couple preferred; can give best of references. Address 229 S. MAIN.

WANTED—SITUATION BY BILL CLERK, assistant bookkeeper and stenographer, 3 years experience. Address V, box 23, TIMES OFFICE.

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WANTED—WORK BY A MIDDLE-AGED American woman; good cook and housekeeper. Address R, box 71, TIMES OFFICE.

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WANTED—SITUATION BY EXPERIENCED young girl for general housework; best references, $25. PHONE 4322.

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WANTED — A POSITION BY SPANISH girl to do housework. 1216 S. HILL ST.

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WANTED — FURNISHED AND UNFURnished houses, flats, cottages, hotels and rooms in all parts of the city. If you have property to rent, call or send us description. We have calls every day. Both 'phones. BRIGHAM-ROBERTS REALTY CO., 518-519 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

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WANTED—STORE FIXTURES AND SHOWcases. 232 S. LOS ANGELES ST. 'Phone Main 2791.

WANTED — CASH PAID FOR FEATHER beds. 1103 E. 7TH. 'Phone Black 3151.

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WANTED
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FOR SALE — THAT BEAUTIFUL NEW, modern home of eight rooms, on high ground, midst beautiful surroundings, most desirable neighborhood; 1730 Lemon ave., close to Washington st.; parlor and dining-room frescoed; all floors polished; ceilings blended, tinted in colors, interior finish Flemish oak, two instantaneous heaters, four bedrooms, yard fenced; price only $5000; a bargain;
$5500—1679 Roosevelt; $7500, 12 rooms, 1818 Lenox ave.; $2100, 5 rooms, 1735 Normandie. If you are looking for a nice modern house, go and see this.
B. WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Blk.

FOR SALE—THERE IS NOTHING IN THIS country that can beat this. Note every word, then come here and I will prove it. Splendid income, 70-room new house, three blocks only from center of this city, $17,000. It rents for $315 per month, $3780 yearly. Leased for five years with ample cash put up by tenant to fully secure that tenant will keep it five years. It will clear itself in a little over four years; pays about 22 per cent. yearly on investment. Will take part cash and payments if necessary. A bargain like this is seldom offered. See KENYON, Owner, 244½ S. Broadway, suite 15. Telephone 7832. 5

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FOR SALE— 10 LOTS AND NICE HOUSE.
New 8-room house with bath, solar heater, 10 lots worth $200 each; barn, chicken corrals, fine well, windmill and tank; also city water; all kinds of fruit and berries; Highland Park; 2 blocks from car line; can be handled with $2500; this may be the SNAP that you are looking for; will trade. F. C. KING, 122 S. Broadway. Home 1148. 29

FOR SALE—8-ROOM NEW COTTAGE, THE very best thing for the money in the city, exceptionally fine large rooms, exquisitely finished, a model kitchen; two elegant bedrooms, with nice large closets, complete bathroom, stationary wash tubs; owner must sell to raise money due; you can't find anything in the city as nice for the money.
GEO. E. HUNTSBERGER & SON, 420 W. Seventh st.
H. V. MILLAR, Mgr. 5

FOR SALE—6-ROOM HOUSE, LOT 50x150; fruit trees, city water, $750 cash; Lucile and [illegible] boulevard; take Hollywood car to [illegible] Junction; 5c fare. Address V, box [illegible], TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—INSTALLMENTS; $2600; NEW 6-room house, near Sycamore Grove, on Avenue 40, near Pasadena ave.; will accept $250 cash, balance monthly payments; this is in a quiet and attractive neighborhood, surrounded by large sycamores, and furnishes all the pleasure of the country with city conveniences. R. W. POINDEXTER, 309 Wilcox Bldg. 5

FOR SALE—IT'S A GREAT HOME BARGAIN; 7-room, 1½-story house, less than 3 months ago owner refused $4000 spot cash; serious illness during the past month makes abandonment of housekeeping necessary; the price NOW for a quick sale is only $3500. I will take pleasure in showing it to anyone seeking a comfortable home at a bedrock price, in beautiful, healthful Angeleno Heights. W. L. JONES, 119 S. Broadway. 4

FOR SALE—MUST BE SOLD WITHIN SIX DAYS BY THE BULLETIN REAL ESTATE, COTTAGES, HOUSES, LOTS, ACREAGE, RANCHES AND BUSINESS PROPERTY. Owners' circumstances forbid our giving locations in the paper. 314 W. FOURTH ST., ROOM 123. 4

FOR SALE—THE BEST NEW 5-ROOM COTTAGE IN SOUTHWEST, MODERN AND WELL ARRANGED, IN GOOD LOCATION AND ONLY ONE BLOCK FROM CAR LINE. LOT 50x125. ONLY $1750. $500 CASH. EASTON, ELDRIDGE & CO., 'Phones 417. 121 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—NEW MODERN WESTLAKE HOME; 7 FINE SUNNY ROOMS BESIDES RECEPTION HALL AND BATH. THIS IS AN UP-TO-DATE HOME IN A DESIRABLE LOCATION. WILL RENT FOR $50 PER MONTH THE ENTIRE YEAR. OWNER WISHES TO MAKE QUICK SALE AND WILL GIVE YOU A BARGAIN. CALL AT PREMISES, 2422 [illegible] 9TH ST. 4

FOR SALE—$5500; MODERN APARTMENT-house of 20 rooms, 2 stories, 2 bathrooms, porcelain bath, instantaneous heater, electric lights, gas for fuel; income $872 per year; must sell my equity as I need cash; this property nets 17 per cent.; will pay for itself in 6 years; owner on premises. 827 TOWNE AVE. 7

FOR SALE—$2500. 7-room modern cottage on 30th st., lot 50x150, highly improved, a model home, part cash. JOHN C. STEDMAN & CO., 404 Grant Bldg. 3

FOR SALE—8-ROOM MODERN RESIDENCE, beautiful grounds, lawn, flowers, shrubbery; lot 50x150; sewered, street graded, sidewalks; fine location; 100-foot street; $4850, $250 cash, balance monthly, same as rent; you cannot get another offer like this in the city. SINCLAIR, 116 S. Broadway. John 3831. 4

FOR SALE—NEW 5-ROOM COTTAGE ONLY $1500; best bargain in this city; small payment down and monthly payments, or will take vacant lot or piano, 1 to 5 acres, as part payment, balance on time. See KENYON, Owner, 244½ S. Broadway, suite 15. Tel. Home 7832. 5

FOR SALE—EASTON, ELDRIDGE & CO., 121 S. BROADWAY. WE HAVE A 5-ROOM COTTAGE, NORTHWEST, LOT 50x145, CHICKEN CORRALS, ETC., MUST BE SOLD AT ONCE, ONLY $1000; WE HAVE A TENANT WHO WILL RENT FOR $15 PER MO. 4

FOR SALE—$2000 FOR 8 ROOM 2 STORY house on corner lot, worth $2500; in best part of city, one block from car line, bath, gas, electricity, lawn, shrubbery, barn and chicken house, small payment down and $30 per month. Will rent for $30. W. O. LEWIS, 2436 West Pico.

FOR SALE—COTTAGE OF 5 ROOMS WITH good lot, fine flowers, lawn, storeroom, everything in good shape. Will sell completely furnished or without furniture; place is 1301 West 24th st., or will rent furnished to desirable tenant. M'GARVIN & BRONSON CO., 220½ S. Spring st. 5

FOR SALE—ON THE HILL NEAR 4TH st., close in, beautiful 2-story 8-room house, fine view, everything new, modern and convenient; for anyone wishing to obtain a beautiful home here is a bargain. See EASTON, ELDRIDGE & CO., 121 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—INSTALLMENTS, $2250; NEW modern 6-room house on Avenue 40, near Pasadena ave.; among the beautiful sycamores; a most attractive place for a home; only $250 cash required; balance easy terms. R. W. POINDEXTER, 309 Wilcox bldg. 5

FOR SALE— SPECIAL BARGAIN. Six-room modern cottage, all conveniences, fine location for flats, good neighborhood, close in, large lot, must be sold at once. OWNER, 1305 WEST 8TH ST.

FOR SALE—LOVELY HOME OF 8 ROOMS, large corner lot, plenty flowers and beautiful trees; large barn, worth $4000; will sell for $3500 on easy terms or take vacant lot as part payment. Owner 221 WEST 29TH or 227 DOUGLAS BLDG. 5

FOR SALE—$3000; 6-ROOM, NEW HOUSE, southwest, Arlington ave. near Washington; will accept $500 cash, balance reasonable terms. You will not find a better place for the money. R. W. POINDEXTER, 309 Wilcox Bldg. 5

FOR SALE—WHY PAY RENT, WHEN YOU can get a home for your rent money? We will build for you and furnish all money for building; plans free. J. BURRIS MITCHEL & CO., 236 Douglas Blk. 'Phone 3774, Black 2981. 4

FOR SALE—EASTON, ELDRIDGE & CO., 121 S. BROADWAY. WELL-BUILT, NEW, MODERN 5-ROOM COTTAGE ON DOUBLE LOT, 47x140. OWNER WISHES TO GO EAST AND WILL SELL FOR $2000 THIS WEEK. 4

FOR SALE—DO YOU WANT A CLOSE IN lot, growing into money; lots at 742 S. Flower, 50x165; good 6-room house, land worth $6000 without the house; will sell for $5000. E. G. ROBINSON, 501 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—MUST BE SOLD WITHIN SIX days by the Bulletin Real Estate, a 5-room cottage and 1 acre of land, in Echo Park, for only $1200. This is a snap! 314 W. 4TH ST., room 123, Phone 5949. 4

FOR SALE—IN SOUTHWEST, MODERN 6-ROOM COTTAGE, GOOD LOT AND BARN, ON WIDE STREET, MUST BE SOLD THIS WEEK FOR $2350, TERMS. ADDRESS T, BOX 9, TIMES OFFICE. 4

FOR SALE — $4250; PRETTY MODERN 8-room residence, 30th st., between Main st. and Moneta ave.; also desirable lots in vicinity. Apply at ZOBELEIN, S.W. corner Moneta and 40th st.

FOR SALE — 6-ROOM COTTAGE, CROCKER st., near Fifth; reasonable price; values in this section increasing rapidly; no better investment. JOHN W. WATSON, 332 Trust Bldg. Phone 2790.

FOR SALE—NICE NEW MODERN UP-TO-date 5-room cottage, 25th near Central ave.; $200 cash, balance monthly payments, or will take lot as first payment. BEN WHITE, 308 Bryson Block. 4

FOR SALE—MUST BE SOLD WITHIN SIX days by the Bulletin Real Estate, a modern 6-room cottage on E. 27th street, near Main, for only $2400. 314 W. 4TH ST., room 123. Phone 5949. 4

FOR SALE—NEW MODERN 4-ROOM COTTAGE, porcelain bath, toilet, stationary washstand; on Brooklyn ave., $1250. C. E. PENDELL, 49 Temple Block.

FOR SALE—ONE 5-ROOM COTTAGE, MODERN, $2100; one 6-room cottage, new, a beauty, $2200, and others. See THOMAS LLOYD, 2708 Wesley ave. 5

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN; AN UP-TO-DATE 6-room cottage, gas and electric lights; tinted walls, etc.; lot 50x145; near Griffith ave. car. 806 E. 29TH ST. 4

FOR SALE—6-ROOM HOUSE AT 236 AVENUE 52, in Highland Park; this is a bargain. See CARL G. PACKARD, 5000 Pasadena ave.

FOR SALE—4-ROOM HOUSE AND LOT, 50x150, improved. $600 cash. Call at MACKINGA'S last house to the right of Avenue 63. 4

FOR SALE—OR RENT. A MODERN UP-TO-date residence in Kinney Heights. Apply owner, 2251 W. 25TH [illegible]. Must be sold at once. 4

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—NEW, MODERN 6-room cottage, near Main st., for a good lot and cash. Owner, 131 E. 27TH. 31

FOR SALE—5-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE and large lot; a snap; good home; easy terms. HUNT, 152 W. 22D. 4

FOR SALE—HIGHLAND PARK, NEW MODERN cottage; five large rooms. Fine view. 134 E. AVE. 56. 4

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, 7-ROOM COTTAGE in first-class condition. 2555 HOOVER near Adams. 5

FOR SALE—MODERN 5-ROOM SUNNY cottage. 2420 FOLSOM ST., Brooklyn Heights. 4

FOR SALE—6 AND 7-ROOM COTTAGE, southwest, easy terms. TEL. BLACK 4513. 4

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—IF YOU ARE WISE YOU WILL buy lots in the Elysian Park tract before prices advance. Several fine homes will be started in the next few days in this tract; watch it grow; no fog, no frost; healthiest spot in town. The choicest lots are going, so don't delay your selection. M'GARVIN & BRONSON CO., Owners, 220½ S. Spring st. 4

FOR SALE—ONLY ONE MORE LEFT OF those large lots in the E. John Tract, size 50x225, near Elysian Park and Sunset Boulevard, six sold last week, and the remaining one must be sold Monday. Price only $900, on very easy payments. SANBORN & BROWN, Sole Agents, 512 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR SALE—$2700; MOST BEAUTIFUL RESIDENCE lot in city; faces three streets, Malvern, Alvarado Terrace and 14th st., high grade building restrictions; a snap at the price. FRANK ROE, owner, 1326 S. Main st. 4

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE— RESIDENCE LOTS. WESTLAKE SECTION.
60 feet S.W. corner Lake and 10th sts. (will loan purchaser $4000 to $5000 to build on this lot at 5 per cent.) Price $3750—only $62.50 per foot.
S.W. corner in the Nevin tract, corner Manhattan Place and Dorchester (will also lend for building on this.) $2500.
See owner, BOAZ DUNCAN, 445 Wilcox Bldg. 5

FOR SALE—BY W. H. ALLEN & SON.
$925—Nine hundred and twenty-five—$925
Lot 50x118 feet, south front, on W. 22d st. near Magnolia ave., just west of Hoover st.; cheapest GOOD lot in this whole section; is easily worth at the present time $1050 to $1100; owner must sell at once, reason for the sacrifice, SEE US EARLY MONDAY; no telephone calls answered; remember the location, size and DON'T FORGET THE PRICE.
$925 a snap—$925 a snap—$925 a snap.
W. H. ALLEN & SON, 218 Douglas Bldg. 4

FOR SALE—I OWN A VERY FINE CORNER within one block of Adams and Vermont, has one 7-room and one 9-room modern house, well rented and will be business property soon, while waiting it is bringing in $50 per month, equity $5600, might put equity in on a good flat proposition or take a smaller cottage and balance time or good vacant.
Also a 5-room cottage on two vacant lots at Manhattan Beach, might take city. Phone 3144 or call 330 TRUST BLDG.

FOR SALE—A. L. WICKS HAS 500 LOTS for sale on easy terms at from one hundred dollars to eight hundred dollars, in Angeleno Heights, Alvarado Park, Lakeside tract and Edendale tract; lots generally 50x150 feet; the northwest portion has the healthiest, best climate of the city; quick access to the business portion and prices far more reasonable than other desirable parts of the city; easy terms. M. L. WICKS, 129 Hellman Blk., Second and Broadway.

FOR SALE—$10,250; FACTORY SITE, NORTH of Ninth st.; 450 feet from Santa Fe tracks; 360 feet frontage; bounded by 20-foot alley on west and south; 9 cottages on 240 feet; income $95 a month. T. M. KILLIAN, 313 Bryson Block.

FOR SALE—MENLO PARK. A BEAUTIFUL LOT, 50x123 TO ALLEY, THAT I WILL SACRIFICE FOR CASH. MAKE ME AN OFFER. ADDRESS MATSON, T, BOX 8, TIMES OFFICE. 4

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FOR SALE—CHEAP; SEVERAL FINE LEVEL lots in Charles Victor Hall tract, also lots at Hermosa Beach, and Ocean Park, by OWNER, E. F. FLORCKEN, 128 S. Spring st.

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FOR SALE—IN BEAUTIFUL BROOKLYN Heights; six fine 50-foot lots, $200 and $250 each; cash or monthly payments. See owner, 203 N. SOTO ST. 4

FOR SALE—$1250, ONE OF THE BEST LOTS in Highland Park; on Pasadena ave., close to Occidental College. Owner, 217 NORTH SPRING ST. 1

FOR SALE—CLOSE IN LOTS, WITH trees, liberal terms, assistance in building. NILES, Owner, Washington and Maple ave.

FOR SALE—LOTS IN BURKE BROS.' FIGUEROA st. subdivision, $115. See OWNER, 433 S. Spring. 9

FOR SALE — $700; LOT ON BURLINGTON near Temple. 226 Bradbury Bldg. G. H. CLARK.

FOR SALE— Business Property.

FOR SALE—A FINE CORNER ON EAST FIFTH ST., SOUTH SIDE, WAY BELOW MARKET.
SNAP. A CHOICE CORNER ON S. FIGUEROA ST., ELEGANT LOCATION FOR CLUB OR HOTEL SITE; SIZE 92x130 TO 20-FOOT ALLEY. FOR ONLY $9000.
AN EXTRA GOOD BUY ON W. SIXTH ST. A LARGE BUSINESS CORNER AT A LOW PRICE. A. T. JERGINS & CO., 204 LAUGHLIN BLDG.
HOME 'PHONE 1911. AFTER JULY 1ST WE WILL BE IN OUR NEW OFFICES, 300 HELLMAN BLDG., FOURTH AND SPRING STS.

FOR SALE— LOS ANGELES ST., HEART OF WHOLESALE DISTRICT, IMPROVED BUSINESS BLOCK, ONLY $300 PER FOOT. SEE OWNER, 205 E. 28TH ST. 'PHONE 5097.

FOR SALE—TEMPERANCE TEMPLE, N.W. corner Broadway and Temple st. 4-story brick building; I want a hustler to buy this beautiful corner; money can be made by modernizing and equipping this property into storerooms and offices. M. W. ATWOOD, Sole Agent, 612 Grant Bldg. Home 'Phone 1714.

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FOR SALE—MUST BE SOLD WITHIN SIX days by the Bulletin Real Estate, 60 feet on S. Olive street, near the park, for only a little over $300 a foot. Call at once. 314 W. FOURTH ST., Room 123. Phone 5949. 4

FOR SALE—BEST REAL ESTATE BARGAIN in this city for $20,000; fine corner, new improvements, rental $4500 per year; principals only. Home phone 1714. M. W. ATWOOD, 612 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—MUST BE SOLD WITHIN SIX days by the Bulletin Real Estate, 25 feet on Spring st., with 1-story brick building for only $900 a foot. 314 W. FOURTH ST., Room 123. Phone 5949. 4

FOR SALE— Flats.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE OF A 3-ROOM flat with lease, on S. Figueroa, $650. E. T. EAST, 508 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—$6600; 2 FLATS, 12 ROOMS ON Gladys near Fifth; income $730. E. G. ROBINSON, 501 Grant.

FOR SALE— Hotels and Lodging-houses.

FOR SALE — ROOMING-HOUSE, $2500; 24 rooms, new, clean, first-class, on ocean front corner, rent $100; 4 years' lease; a snap, for a few days. See this at once. C. W. SCOTT & CO., 27 Ocean Front, Ocean Park, Cal. 21

FOR SALE—7-ROOM ROOMING-HOUSE (cottage) completely furnished; close in; southwest; big snap; price $325, $100 cash. F. A. BURKHART & CO., 340½ S. Spring.

FOR SALE—THE CALIFORNIA, 115 THIRD st., Santa Monica; 17 rooms, newly furnished, all occupied, lease; near beach and business. $900 cash. Call and see.

FOR SALE — $1700 CASH, 29 FURNISHED rooms; fine extra location; central. 515½ S. MAIN ST.

FOR SALE—15 ROOMS CLEARING $60 PER month; ground floor; must be sold. 343 WINSTON ST. 4

FOR SALE—20 ROOMS NEWLY FURNISHED, price $800. 302 S. LOS ANGELES ST. 4

FOR SALE— Country Property.

FOR SALE—THE ROAD TO WEALTH.
School lands of California, all counties; Stamp for book, $1.75 up acre.
Great bargains. A few sample investments.
Fresno county, 1 mile from the famous Laguna de Tache ranch, San Joaquin Valley, 3 miles from Kings River, 4 miles from rail and town, level fruit and vineland, only $5 acre; terms.
Above ranch selling $30 to $75 acre.
Merced Co., fine 320-acre ranch, S.W. part timber, grazing, choice, $3.
480 Napa Co., near Calistoga town, timber, grazing, fine ranch, $3; terms.
320 Palmdale, L. A. Co., near water district, foothills, fruit, farming, $2.50 acre.
640 Shasta, heavy timber, grazing, near Ball's Ferry, Anderson patent, $4 acre.
2 choice sections, valley, live creek, choice fruit, farming, patented 1889, $2.50.
Fine oil land investments, homesteads, etc.
Lands in Imperial, Colorado, Indio and Victor water districts, to offer.
WISEMAN'S LAND BUREAU, 360 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—BUILD FOR THE FUTURE. Buy a 10 or 20-acre tract and set it to trees, for a future home; land in beautiful La Habra Valley; price from $120 to $150 per acre, with water. W. J. HOLE, 349 Wilcox Bldg. Either Phone 1363.

FOR SALE—SALT LAKE ROAD WILL SOON be running. For State lands in Southern Nevada, with plenty of water, at $1.25 per acre. Also snaps in the Muddy and Vegas valleys. See J. F. M'PHERSON, 402 Stimson Block, corner Third and Spring. A commissioner for Nevada in California.

FOR SALE— Country Property.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN.
We have for sale at Burbank, 9 miles from Los Angeles, 11 acres of fine alfalfa land, located within 300 feet of a plant pumping a minimum of 70 inches of water; the soil is A1, and water can be had at an exceedingly low figure; ground lies perfectly level; owner of adjoining property netted over $100 per acre on his alfalfa last season; watermelons will bring in at least $75 per acre this summer; alfalfa can be planted next fall and the property will pay for itself in less than 18 months; we can deliver this property for $165 per acre.
ERKENBRECHER SYNDICATE (Ltd.) Members L. A. Realty Board. 301 CURRIER BLDG. 'Phone Main 1377. Home 1377.

FOR SALE— In Monrovia, the gem city of the foothills, the most healthful spot in California, only 16 miles east of Los Angeles, on the Santa Fe, Southern Pacific and electric railways, right under the foothills in the heart of the orange belt. For asthma, catarrh, bronchitis, rheumatism and weak lungs there is no place ON EARTH superior to Monrovia. Electric cars week days every 30 minutes, on Sunday every 15 minutes. Population 2500; growing rapidly; built 150 houses in the past 12 months. Elevation 500 to 1000 feet to the foot of the mountains; have but little frost or fogs. Parties are tenting 2000 feet up the mountain; good schools, plenty of churches, and no saloons. I offer a nice 4-room cottage, finished, bath, pantry, inside toilet, small storeroom on back porch, new lawn, garden, clean corner, 100x154 feet, two blocks from postoffice, 2 blocks from electric cars; price $1650. R. M. BLYTHE. 8

FOR SALE— Mountain home, 320 acres; orchard 75 acres, including about 2500 apple trees of which about 1500 are in full bearing, and about 2500 almond trees, 2 and 3 years old; all in thorough cultivation, and 240 acres pasture and grain land. Fine irrigating plant with ample supply of water; modern 8-room house, 2 barns, packing-house, etc. Schoolhouse and postoffice on place with daily mail service. Located in Los Angeles county, 4000 feet elevation. And this particular place has proved a sure cure for throat and lung trouble. As an investment this cannot be duplicated in California. Will be sold for less than one-third its value if taken at once. L. L. BOWEN, 302 Frost Block. Member Los Angeles Realty Board.

FOR SALE— 2½, 5, 10, 20 ACRE LOTS. Rich, sandy loam soil, ten miles south of the city, 4 blocks from electric railway. In the proven berry, alfalfa, pea, bean and garden district.
—CALLED THE— NORTH MONETA GARDEN LAND TRACT.
A 480-acre subdivision supplied with 225 miners' inches of water, produced from a $9000, 50-horse-power electric motor plant; 1 share of water stock to each acre; guaranteeing a perpetual water supply.
PRICES $175 TO $250 PER ACRE. EASY TERMS.
H. T. COFFIN. F. L. FORRESTER. 242 Bryne Bldg. 3rd and Broadway.

FOR SALE—$4000 WILL BUY 25 ACRES OF choice land, suitable for barley or alfalfa, 14 miles from the city, a good 6-room house, just newly repaired, good outbuildings, 100 chickens, a fine $250 team of horses, 1 set of harness, 1 wagon, 1 plow, 1 harrow and other ranch tools; a fine crop of barley growing; here is a chance to step right in and go to work. GEO. E. HUNTSBERGER & SON, 420 W. Seventh st., Los Angeles, Cal. H. V. MILLAR, Mgr. 5

FOR SALE— 80-acre ranch, 4 miles of city limits, 5-room house, barn, good well, windmill and two tanks; the owner refused $16,000 for this place; must sacrifice on account of finances; quick sale price $12,000; place is all in barley. BRIGHAM-ROBERTS REALTY CO., 519 O. T. Johnson Bldg. 4

FOR SALE—AT BUENA PARK, 35-ACRE alfalfa ranch, $2000 net profit yearly; 20 miles from Los Angeles, on 2 railroads, 75 inches water, with new pumping plant, fine barn and outbuildings, new 5-room 2-story house. Owner, JOHN W. WATSON, 332 Trust Bldg. Home 'Phone 2790.

FOR SALE—ONE OF THE VERY BEST stock ranches in Kings county, 640 acres, capable of carrying 300 dairy cows; has as good water right as there is on Kings River; is also good fruit land. For terms and further particulars address T. [illegible], Box 452, HANFORD, Kings county, Cal. 27

FOR SALE—10-ACRE TRACTS ADJOINING townsite of Randolph, through which the Pacific Electric Railway will run; many Los Angeles people have bought in this tract; price $120 to $150 per acre with water. W. J. HOLE, 349 Wilcox Bldg. Either phone 1363.

FOR SALE—620 ACRES FINE FARMING land in Ventura county, near R.R. station, school, postoffice, etc.; no buildings, but all in cultivation; only $25 per acre; will sell half if desired. For particulars write to R. W. POINDEXTER, 309 Wilcox Bldg., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE— $10 a month buys a 10-acre farm. $300 profit per annum per acre. Write for booklet; it's free. WRIGHT & KIMBROUGH, 806 J st., Sacramento, Cal.

FOR SALE—SACRAMENTO VALLEY IRRIGATED lands; alfalfa, corn, fruits and vegetables, $35 per acre; rich, deep soil. C. M. WOOSTER CO., 648 Market st., San Francisco, resident agent. H. F. ELLIOT, 410 S. Broadway, Los Angeles.

FOR SALE — 10 AND 20-ACRE TRACTS with plenty of water, in beautiful La Habra Valley, on the Pacific Electric R.R.; price $130 to $150 per acre; easy terms. W. J. HOLE, 349 Wilcox Bldg. Either Phone 1363.

FOR SALE—LANDS AND RANCHES IN Muddy River Valley, on Salt Lake Railroad, in Nevada, for sale. Address A, box 57, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — 15-ACRE RANCH AT RIALTO; good house and barn; 10 shares water stock; all nicely improved; close to station; $1150. C. E. PENDELL, 49 Temple Blk.

FOR SALE—BEST FARM AND FRUIT lands in California; plenty moisture. Fine climate. Write freely. JOY & MAHER, Watsonville, Santa Cruz county.

FOR SALE—CHOICE ALFALFA RANCH, abundance of artesian water. 238 BRADBURY BUILDING. G. H. Clark. 4

FOR SALE—220 ACRES STANDING TIMBER in Washington. E. M. PENTZ, 724½ East Ninth st., L. A. 31

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE, 11 ACRES OF land. Address F. C. LIEBMAN, 1919 East Ninth st. 4

FOR SALE— Suburban Property.

FOR SALE— ALHAMBRA. ALHAMBRA. ALHAMBRA.
Just completed, 2 fine homes in our new tract, lots $350 to $450. Cement curbs and sidewalks, graded streets and water piped; no lot over a block from Pacific Electric Railway. It takes only 20 minutes to reach business center of Los Angeles. 25 new houses built this year; property values have doubled in the last year. This is an excellent chance for investment and a delightful place for a home. For further information, see
SAN GABRIEL REALTY COMPANY, END OF CAR LINE, SAN GABRIEL, CAL. OR G. M. PURCELL, 404 BRADBURY BLDG. BOTH 'PHONES 1457. 5

FOR SALE—ALFALFA, ALFALFA, ALFALFA $250 per acre, 25 acres, damp land, no irrigation required; fine stand alfalfa; first crop ready to cut now; we can lease this land to responsible party for $1000 a year; location near San Gabriel, worth $350 per acre; our option expires today. Call early. FRANK BAIERSKY & CO., 222 W. First. 4

FOR SALE—19 ACRES UNIMPROVED IN Altadena, 3 miles from Pasadena; the cheapest block in this desirable locality; 2 frontages, splendid water right, land adapted for fruit, grapes or vegetables; desirable home site, only $1500. M'NALLY & SON, 20 S. Raymond ave., Pasadena.

FOR SALE—AT ALTADENA, 2½ OR 4 acres, beautifully located, fine building site; close to electric car; splendid water right. Address P. O. box 887, PASADENA, Cal. 30

FOR SALE — FIVE ACRES INGLEWOOD, small orchard, close to electric light; only $1250; good buy. TAYLOR, 102 Broadway.

HOLLYWOOD.

FOR SALE — AN ELEGANT, NEW, MODERN house, on one of the best corners in Hollywood; to close up the affairs of the company this house will be sold for less than cost; will consider a reasonable offer. E. W. SANDISON, 111 N. Spring st., Home 3321.

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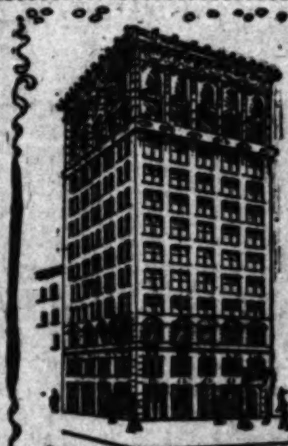

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Strange Death of Young Arthur Bowles.

Locked in Bathroom and a Victim of Bad Air.

No Vent Outside for Heater, Pathetic Case.

The instantaneous water heater claimed another victim yesterday in the person of Arthur F. Bowles, 19 years of age, of No. 233 West Twenty-eighth street. Young Bowles was the eldest son of F. C. Bowles and was one of the most popular youths in his section of the city. The circumstances surrounding the death of the young man were peculiar and pathetic.

About 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning Bowles went into the bathroom

Victim of the instantaneous gas heater.

of his father's residence, and lighting the instantaneous heater prepared to take a bath. The bathroom is a large one, but the heater is not connected with a vent pipe and the door and window were tightly closed. A half hour later the boy's father, suspecting that something was wrong, tried to enter the room, but found the door locked. Going around to the window he pried it open, only to find his son lying on the floor partially disrobed. A hasty examination showed that the young man was dead. The bathtub was filled with water and the gas was still burning, although the oxygen in the room had been practically consumed.

Dr. Van Vleck, who lives next door, was hastily called after the father had removed the boy from the room, but life appeared extinct. Drs. Pierce and Day were also summoned, and every method tried to resuscitate the youth, but without avail. The grief of the father was piercing, as he upbraided himself for not having the bathroom fully ventilated, especially since trouble with bad air had been experienced before. It seems that two other children of Mr. Bowles had been overcome at previous times by the fumes from the heater or the exhaustion of oxygen, and they had been taken out none too soon.

Young Bowles was in the employ of the Los Angeles Leather Company and was highly thought of by his employers and associates. He was a young man of exemplary habits and had an exceptionally large circle of friends throughout the city. An inquest will be held today at Bresee Bros.

In a Bad Fix.

William Jennings Bryan was telling a party of friends about a chat he had with a long-whiskered Populist he met on the steamer returning from abroad.

"Don't you think the mission of the Populist party is about ended?" asked Mr. Bryan of the bearded man.

"I wish I knew for sure," replied he. "If there ain't any change for my party I'd marry a widow worth a fortune."

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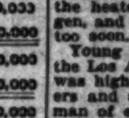

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EASTER EGGS FOR PORTLAND.

NEWTON TREATS THE VISITORS TO ANOTHER SETTING.

Two Bunts are All That the Doctor Gives up and One of These is a Present by Smith—Looloos Land on Butler in the Fourth, Chase Winning the Game as Usual.

Los Angeles, 1; Portland, 0.

It was easier yesterday to buy an Easter lid with six different flowers on it for $15 than to get hits off Doc Newton.

Easter Sunday, which marks a grand, universal demonstration of new bonnets, red, white and blue eggs and immaculate jackrabbits that sit on their hind legs, is generally supposed to be a sort of a feast day and a jollification after the social woes of Lent, but the Portlands didn't find it so yesterday. They certainly knew it was Easter after the game was over, for they laid nine big goose eggs up on the scoreboard to fill out the three dozen they take back north with them to remind them of their first experience with Los Angeles.

They certainly didn't have much of a feast yesterday, for long-legged Judge McCreedie was the only one of them that had anything coming, and he got only two little bites. It was the end of the Lenten period all right, for Newton lost only these two and they didn't last long enough to get the "Jedge" to second base, for his legs became paralyzed from innocuous desuetude, as Grover Cleveland would say. Castro did a little better in the second inning, for he managed to reach the halfway house on a pass and a sacrifice, but backed up in the stretch and was finished.

When it is stated that the only hits the Portland got off Newton were two dinky bunts by McCreedie toward third base, it can readily be imagined that the visitors did not come within hailing ways of third base.

The game was not intensely exciting to the six thousand fans that crowded into Chutes Park to see it; the hitting was too light to please the majority of the communicants. The grand stand was full of ladies in their finest, and the big barn-like place actually looked like a girl from its half-acre of spring hats and costumes that would pretty near pay half the city's expenses for a year if they were cashed in. The ball game was full of interest, as all close scores games are, but it must be confessed that several pretty plays were overlooked by many, who sizing up some love of a bonnet across the aisle or wondering why some other women will buy such a fright of a hat. These creations, however, didn't cause much anguish to a man who would rather see a three-bagger in the ninth with two on bases than be President.

It really wasn't very alarming at any stage, for the visitors could not hit Newton and the Looloos didn't hurt Butler very much. It was simply come up and strike out, or knock it into somebody's hands, and it's very hard to cut ice when this kind of business is going on. For Portland, McCreedie bunted safely toward third in the first inning, and the ninth, and he was the only one of the bunch who could locate the ball.

The locals had a little better luck with Butler in the fourth inning, and by jumping on him in an unguarded moment, they cracked out three safe hits for the only run of the game. Flood had shot a hot liner into Beck's hands, Smith sent a hard two-bagger past third base, and Cravath advanced him to third with a single to right. Then the yelling commenced, and it so rattled Butler that he passed Chase to first, thus filling the bases. [illegible] there was some noise when Boy Wonder, Little Hallie Chase, came to bat, for he has won three games since he began by hitting the ball at the right time. Hallie messed around until he had two strikes called on him, and then to the unspeakable joy of the big crowd, he smacked a single over shortstop, scoring Smith. When the ball was returned from center field, Cravath overran third base to get the throw from some one. Steelman got the ball, fired it to Freeman at third base, and he whipped it to [illegible] at third, and Cravath was caught off the base. Toman ended the agony of suspense by fanning out.

In the seventh inning Toman reached third base on Beck's error of a grounder, Spiss's sacrifice and the error of Newton's grounder, a moment later [illegible] caught off the base on a throw [illegible] Steelman. From this it will be understood that Smith, Cravath and Toman were the only ones in the game to reach third base, and under such conditions it is easy to see that the game was a corker, one in every way.

The fielding was remarkably good, Smith, Castro, Flood and Toman doing beautiful work at all times. The features of the game were fine running catches of difficult fly balls by Smith and Toman. Neither of the [illegible] Beck and Francis did any [illegible] for Portland, and it may thus [illegible] that the contest was without [illegible]. There would have been but [illegible] off Newton, but when McCreedie bunted in the ninth, Smith [illegible] the ball and then followed [illegible] to third base as it slowly [illegible] along the ground, hoping it [illegible] roll to foul ground. He could have thrown McCreedie out at [illegible]

LOS ANGELES.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
[illegible]							
Totals	28	1	6	1	27	12	0

PORTLAND.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
[illegible]							
Totals	27	0	2	0	24	10	2

[illegible] batted for Butler in ninth inning.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
[illegible]	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	x	—1
[illegible]	0	0	1	2	1	0	0	1	x	—6
[illegible]	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
[illegible]	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—2

SUMMARY.

[illegible]—Smith.
[illegible]—Beck, Spiss.
[illegible] errors—Los Angeles 2.
[illegible]—Los Angeles, 5; Portland, 2.
[illegible]—Off Newton, 2; Butler, 2.
[illegible]—Newton, 7; Butler, 2.
[illegible]—Newton to Toman to Chase.
[illegible] 30min.

[illegible]TLE IS EASY.
[illegible] WINS ANOTHER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

[illegible] April 3.—Seattle was a dead one today, Tacoma winning easily by a score of 7 to 1. The game was close and interesting till the fifth inning when Hall was batted out of the box, after Tacoma had piled up five runs. Schock was out on the hill for Seattle, but it was too late. Again in the seventh inning Tacoma bunched a few hits and scored a couple more runs. Keefe pitched for the "Tads" and played a star game. His three-base hit in the seventh inning which let in two runs across the plate, was greeted with cheers.

TACOMA.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Casey, 2b	5	1	1	0	1	2	0
Nordyke, 1b	5	1	2	0	12	0	0
McLaughlin, lf	5	1	1	0	0	1	1
Lynch, cf	5	1	1	0	1	0	0
Eagan, ss	5	1	2	0	0	4	0
Hannivan, rf	3	0	0	0	2	0	0
Sheehan, 3b	3	0	1	0	2	1	0
Hogan, c	4	1	2	0	7	2	0
Keefe, p	4	1	2	0	1	4	0
Totals	33	7	12	0	27	14	1

SEATTLE.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Van Haltern, cf	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
Mohler, 2b	4	0	0	0	4	2	0
Delehanty, 3b	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Frisk, lf	4	0	0	0	3	1	0
Brashear, 1b	3	0	1	0	8	0	0
Smith, rf	3	0	0	0	1	1	0
R. Hall, ss	3	0	1	0	1	4	1
Wilson, c	3	0	1	0	6	1	0
C. Hall, p	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Schock, p	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	1	4	1	24	9	2

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Tacoma	0	0	0	0	5	0	2	0	x	—7
Base hits	0	0	1	2	5	0	2	0	x	—12
Seattle	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1
Base hits	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	—4

SUMMARY.

Hits—Off Keefe, 4; off Hall, 10; off Schock, 2.
Three-base hits—Keefe.
Two-base hits—McLaughlin, Nordyke, Keefe.
Sacrifice hits—Hannivan, Sheehan, Van Haltren, Smith (2.)
First base on errors—Tacoma, 1; Seattle, 1.
First base on called balls—Off Keefe, 3; off Hall, 3; off Schock, 4.
Left on bases—Tacoma, 10; Seattle, 4.
Struck out—By Keefe, 6; by Hall, 4; by Schock, 1.
Time of game—1hr. 30min.
Umpire—Huston.

HARRIS DROPS TWO.
LOHMAN HAS EASY TIME.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—The home team suffered a double defeat today, the morning play being taken by Oakland through timely hitting and cleverly taking advantage of openings to make runs. In the afternoon the locals outbatted the visitors but only in the second innink did the hits count. Inability to run bases also cut a figure in the defeat. Score:

SAN FRANCISCO.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Waldron, cf	[illegible]						
Hildebrand, lf	[illegible]						
Meaney, rf	[illegible]						
Irwin, 3b	[illegible]						
Massey, 1b	[illegible]						
Anderson, 2b	[illegible]						
Schmeer, ss	[illegible]						
Hansen, c	[illegible]						
Whalen, p	[illegible]						
Totals	35	1	9	1	27	9	3

OAKLAND.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Ganley, rf	[illegible]						
Francks, ss	[illegible]						
Kruger, lf	[illegible]						
Dunleavy, cf	[illegible]						
Schlafly, 2b	[illegible]						
Streib, 1b	[illegible]						
Devereaux, 3b	[illegible]						
Boettiger, c	[illegible]						
Moskiman, p	[illegible]						
Totals	38	3	11	4	27	13	3

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Oakland	[illegible]								
Base hits	[illegible]								
San Francisco	[illegible]								
Base hits	[illegible]								

SUMMARY.

Two-base hits—Whalen, Hildebrand, Streib.
Sacrifice hits—Francks.
First base on errors—San Francisco, 2; Oakland, 1.
Call balls—Off Whalen, 3; off Moskiman, 3.
Left on bases—San Francisco, 11; Oakland, 12.
Struck out—By Whalen, 3; by Moskiman, 3.
Double play—Anderson to Massey.
Time of game—1hr. 55min.
Umpire—McCarthy.

SAN FRANCISCO.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Waldron, cf	[illegible]						
Hildebrand, lf	[illegible]						
Meany, rf	[illegible]						
Irwin, 3b	[illegible]						
Massey, 1b	[illegible]						
Anderson, 2b	[illegible]						
Schmeer, ss	[illegible]						
Hansen, c	[illegible]						
Yerkes, p	[illegible]						
Totals	37	2	11	2	*26	17	2

OAKLAND.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Ganley, rf	[illegible]						
Francks, ss	[illegible]						
Kruger, lf	[illegible]						
Dunleavy, cf	[illegible]						
Schlafly, 2b	[illegible]						
Streib, 1b	[illegible]						
Devereaux, 3b	[illegible]						
Lohman, c	[illegible]						
Schmidt, p	[illegible]						
Totals	28	3	6	2	27	15	2

* Schmidt out, hit by batted ball.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Oakland	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	—3
Base hits	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	2	1	—6
San Francisco	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2
Base hits	1	2	1	1	1	2	0	2	1	—11

SUMMARY.

Sacrifice hits—Massey, Dunleavy, Schmidt.
First base on errors—Oakland, 1; San Francisco, 1.
First base on called balls—Off Schmidt, 3; Yerkes, 2.
Left on bases—Oakland, 3; San Francisco, 10.
Struck out—By Schmidt, 4; by Yerkes, 1.
Double plays—Yerkes to Schmeer to Massey; Dunleavy to Streib.
Passed balls—Lohman.
Time of game—1hr. 40min.
Umpire—McCarthy.

Pacific Coast League.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Los Angeles	10	[illegible]	[illegible]	.900
Tacoma	9	[illegible]	[illegible]	.667
Oakland	10	[illegible]	[illegible]	.600
Seattle	9	[illegible]	[illegible]	.444
San Francisco	10	[illegible]	[illegible]	.300
Portland	10	[illegible]	[illegible]	.200

ROUND ROBIN GOLF MATCHES.

R. H. INGRAM DEFEATS WALTON AND FREDERICKSON.

Comparatively Few Matches are Played and Percentages are of but Little Value as Yet—Frederickson's Beating is a Surprise—How Winsor Walton "Got His."

Whew! R. H. Ingram, erstwhile of Kentucky, and now Lord High Everything down where the Southern Pacific engines blow, starting seven-up on William Frederickson, beat that indomitable young Chicagoan by the paralyzing margin of six up and five to play. And, as if there were not glory enough for one glad Easter morn, Windsor Walton, the "Young Vardon" of the Country Club, starting five down and eighteen to play, must needs be drawn into the same capacious Octopusian maw—and this to the tune of four up and three to play.

Nor was this all. For R. H. Hay Chapman and Godfrey Holterhoff were but as chaff before this soft southern breeze from the blue-grass lowlands.

Mr. Ingram is evidently no respecter of persons. For, note you, his guillotine basket now holds the heads of a prosecuting attorney, a banker, an editor-in-chief, a mining capitalist, and a prominent railroad official. And out of six games played there have thus sprung five notable victories. The one game lost to the "professor" is the only fly in the genial superintendent's terrapin.

The tournament is, of course, quite in its infancy as yet, but, in a fair general way it looks very much like the long handicap man's win—exactly as The Times hoped for. Mr. Ingram is playing a rattling good game just now, and he has the superabundant bonus of eight up on scratch to work on. He turned in a good 87 with Hay Chapman in the morning, and if he can hold this through the series it is absolutely impossible to beat him. If!—that's the rub.

Three more unfortunates nested the three detestable duck eggs yesterday and rested from their labors. Charles Henderson, Charles Holterhoff and A. F. Morlan thus came, saw, and—went.

The proportion of games played so far being comparatively small, the percentages are necessarily of small value—except in the case of those who have already lost two games, and so stand shivering on the brink of total collapse. Many matches must be carried to completion during the week under the conditions, and the outcome of these will have large bearing on subsequent possibilities.

Easter Sunday services must have drawn largely upon the golfers yesterday, for, with glorious weather and a perfect course, the beautiful links looked almost deserted.

BILLY WOODS IS FAVORITE.

'FRISCO SPORTS THINK SCHRECK IS A LOSER.

Great Interest Taken in the Fight Because Woods is Thought to Rank Next to Jeffries in Strength and Hitting Power—Jim Neil is Trying to Stir up Trouble.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Billy Woods and Mike Schreck are to meet Tuesday night at Colma and it will be a great battle. Woods figures to win, but he will be only by fighting all o the time in his best form.

Because of the faith they have in his punch, the talent will make Woods a favorite at odds of 10 to 8 or 10 to 7. There are many who think he is the strongest man and the heaviest hitter in the ring today, barring Jeffries. In Schreck, Woods goes against the best man that could be brought from the East to meet him. The Cincinnati lad is just the sort to give Woods a hard battle. He fights with a crouch that is peculiar. At times he will crouch so low that his body is almost touching the canvas, and before his opponent knows what is coming he straightens up and shoots out his mits as fast as lightning.

JIM NEIL SPOUTS.

Jim Neil, the father of Frankie, has issued another threat. More than a month ago he said he would close the boxing game in San Francisco if he did not get an April date. Coffroth has the permits for this month, and the game still prospers. Now Frankie's parent says that every time there is a fight in this city he will put on one the same night at Colma.

"I can open the Colma Club for $40," he said, "and it costs $300 to open the doors of the Pavilion for a fight in this city."

Neil's first card under this new arrangement will be his boy against Monte Attell the night that Billy Woods fights Walcott—if Woods wins from Schreck and the match is made.

HANDBALL HONORS.
EGAN EASILY RETAINS THEM.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The only interest in the second series of games today at the Olympic Club court for the handball championship of the world, centered in the question whether James Fitzgerald could pull out at the start and gain a good lead. He failed and Egan won the championship by taking the second and third games. Last Sunday Egan, the champion, won six out of seven games, so he had only two games to win today to keep the championship.

In the first game Fitzgerald displayed something of his old form, killing balls handily from the back of the court and returning the swift, low left curves of the champion. He kept a good lead until near the end and won out by 21 to 19.

In the second game Fitzgerald got a lead of five at the outset, but after that, though he made some beautiful kills from the back of the court and returned Egan's vicious low service far better than he did last week, still his steam began to fail. Egan soon passed him and began to score aces through failure of Fitzgerald to make hard returns from the serve. Ace after ace Egan made by killing Fitzgerald's ball as it came slowly from the wall. This game was won by the champion by 21 to 13.

The third game was simply a walkover for Egan as Fitzgerald was tired and weak. Egan began his low service and soon ran out, Fitzgerald scoring only four.

Score: Egan, 19, 21, 21. Fitzgerald, 21, 13, 4.

UNION PARK COURSING.
NEW HOME BOY SHINES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The crowd and the betting at Union Coursing Park today were the best for several months and almost a perfect day's sport was enjoyed. It was an old-time crowd with old-time enthusiasm.

The reserve stake was won by High Born, George Shannon's puppy. Aggie W., who ran the deciding course with High Born, was almost even in the betting. It was a pretty course. Both Aggie W. and High Born were 50 to 1 on the long books at the opening of the day's coursing.

There were a number of upsets, but no particularly large ones. Most of the betting was about even. A special course was run between New Home Boy of Los Angeles and Rubber Ankles, two of the dogs entered for the Grand National, which begins next Sunday, the first course being run by Palo Alto and Pocatelli. New Home Boy won the special course.

BICYCLING.
WALTHOUR BEATS THE DUTCH.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BERLIN, April 3.—Bobby Walthour, the American bicyclist, won a fifty-kilometer (31¼ miles) bicycle race at Sportsman's Park, Friendau, this afternoon, defeating the German, Robl, who holds the European championship, and Ryser, Denke, Salzmann and Bruisson.

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THREE MEDALS ON SAME SCORE.

CREEDMOOR COUNT DETERMINES SANDAB MAAS WINNER.

His Last Shot Being Superior, Maas Takes Second Medal from L. Wolff and Aug. Wagniere, All the Totals Figuring the Same. Frick Day's Champion.

At the monthly medal shoot of the Turners in Schuetzen Park a new record for the organization was established. Never before in the history of the shooting section has it occurred that three medals were won with the same score on Creedmoor count. Yesterday Adolf Sandab Maas, Louis Wolff and Aug. Wagniere in the medal competition tied with 171, and to determine the awarding of the medals for the day it was necessary to take their last shots. "Sandab's" was best, a 22. Wolff's was next best, an 18. Wagniere had to take the fourth medal as his final shot was a 15. The unusual occurrence created a great deal of comment among the riflemen, and is a thing that may, in fact probably will, never happen again.

The shooting, while not of high class owing to the constantly shifting lights and variable wind, was remarkably close throughout, and the last shot of each contestant usually determined the winner of each medal. William Frick walked away with champion honors with a score of 206, Joe Singer being five points behind.

Chris Krempel, the king of San Pedro, shot in excellent form, and, strange to say, has been doing much more consistent work with the target rifle since his recent severe illness. Mr. Krempel with ease took the first medal, scoring 191.

The argument for the other medals attracted the attention of the shooters as soon as the first score of 171 was tied, and when the number was hung out that indicated it had again been equaled, other diversions stopped for the time being while the puzzle was being straightened out, which it soon was to the excessive delight of "Sandab" Maas and the keen woe of Wagniere who thought himself in undeserved hard luck.

The uncertainties of target rifle shooting were well shown by the work of V. H. Tisdale, who in practice averaged 21 for ever twenty shots, but could not better 165 in the medal contest. Henry Pfirrmann in the preliminary firing scored four red flags, but in the medal shoot registered the usual 158. The association had better have a little stamp made bearing the words "Henry Pfirrmann, 158." It would save scorers much work.

F. Huebsch, Claude "Cinch" Black, Max Friese, H. Jager also shot but were out of practice. O. H. Wescott, V. H. Tisdale, Max Prosse and John Hauerwaas each scored a bullseye center during the preliminary practice, thereby earning a red flag.

In the pool shooting, L. Wolff walked away with the first pot. His score was 24. Pfirrmann and Parker tied for second money with 23. Huebsch was third.

President Hauerwaas was not in his best form yesterday, being good for over 200 when right. The grounds at Schuetzen Park have been so changed that one familiar with the place a month ago would hardly know it now. Extensive grading and excavating for the big pond have changed the appearance of the valley. Joe Singer was laying out blinds around the site of the pond yesterday.

The scores: Frick 206, Singer 201, Wescott 197, Maas 171, L. Wolff 171, Wagniere 171, Tisdale 165, Pfirrmann 158, Huebsch, Max Friese, Jager and Black—well, less than that.

Climatically the day was very pleasant and the shoot was a big success. Eventually target rifle shooting will be carried on every Sunday at Schuetzen Park.

NO FISH.
WATER TOO MUDDY.

Shore fishermen during the last three weeks have experienced some pretty tough luck, but yesterday's catches were the limit. The fish seem to have gone out on strike and are doubtless making up for their midwinter abundance by the present scarcity.

From the breakwater on the south to Port Los Angeles on the north the sport was absolutely of the worst. Neither croakers nor halibut were biting inside the bay. For a long distance out to sea from the heads at the mouth of the harbor the water was discolored with mud. This and considerable blasting which has been done around the inner harbor of late are doubtless responsible for the poor luck as tides were all that could be desired.

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At the close of business March 28th, 1904.

RESOURCES:

Loans and discounts		$4,396,562.39
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		69,866.50
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		1,500,000.00
U. S. Bonds on hand		250,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		132,123.75
Stocks, securities, etc., "Bonds only"		1,113,431.23
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		177,976.17
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents)	$882,826.97	
Due from State Banks and Bankers	295,501.41	
Due from approved Reserve Agents	1,136,895.34	
Checks and other cash items	24,991.78	
Exchanges for Clearing House	110,613.25	
Notes of other National Banks	26,300.00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	2,115.60	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz: Specie $1,153,927.00; Legal-tender notes, 44,000.00	1,197,927.00	3,647,171.35
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		75,000.00
Total,		$11,371,131.39

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock paid in		$1,500,000.00
Surplus Fund		1,000,000.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid		38,921.27
National Bank Notes outstanding		1,483,500.00
Due to other National Banks	365,973.15	
Due to State Banks and Bankers	316,946.24	
Due to Trust Companies and Savings B'nks	302,147.53	
Dividends unpaid	90.00	
Individual Deposits, subject to check	5,620,036.50	
Demand Certificates of Deposit	734,781.82	
Certified Checks	8,735.00	7,348,710.12
Total,		$11,371,131.39

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of April, 1904.

EDWARD G. KUSTER, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
J. A. GRAVES
I. N. VAN NUYS } Directors.
WM. LACY

State of California, County of Los Angeles, } ss:

I, Charles Seyler, Cashier of the above-named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHAS. SEYLER, Cashier.

BETTER RACING ALL LAST WEEK.

NO LACK OF GOOD RIDING TALENT IS NOTED.

Lawrence is a Boy of Great Promise Provided He Will Steer Clear of the Pitfalls Which Menace a Successful Jockey — Today's Card of the Races.

Close finishes and a class of sport somewhat better than could be expected of a new association at this stage of its first meeting attracted large crowds to Ascot Park last week. With so many of the best performers away getting their share of the purse money at Bennings and elsewhere, and many of the top-notch riders gone to other fields, the outlook was hardly promising a fortnight back; but the last week has brought before the eyes of the racing public a boy of promise in Lawrence, and the Redferns, Hildebrands and Wonderlys have been for the time forgotten in keenly observing this lad's work in the saddle. Assuming Lawrence takes care of himself, stays honest, steers clear of the rocks in the "primrose path" and dodges that bane of the jockey, a "swelled head," he has a great future. The life of a professional rider is, however, one procession of pitfalls of various sorts. Primarily the jockey is usually a boy of tender years, subject to the influence of all manner of dishonest characters. Added to this, his prominence in the sporting world makes him a mark for all manner of adventurers, male and female—mostly the latter. He is made a fool of and his little head too often turned, with the inevitable result—another good boy gone wrong. Booze, crookedness and bad women kill off more jockeys than even the jumping game. The temptation to pick up a bit of easy money by throwing a race is too great to be withstood by weak-minded youngsters, especially if they want the coin to buy red paint with. In spite of the well-known and true race track adage that "thieves never get anything on the turf," some of the youngsters make the big mistake every week in the season. It is such level-headed ones as Wonderly, who know how to enjoy their earnings with discretion, that are a credit to the sport.

Ladies' day this afternoon will probably prove a big attraction to the fair sex as ever. A good card is down for decision, comprising two long-distance events at a mile, and a mile and one hundred yards; and four middle-distance races. The opening number at a mile should prove quite a facer for the talent. Henry Clay Rye has not been out for some time. Most of the entries have a chance. A big field will face Starter Holtman in the second at three-quarters of a mile. The feature event is a seven-furlong handicap, in which Callant, Barrington, M. F. Tarpey, Greenock, Elwood, Foncasta, Glennevis, C. B. Campbell and Columbia Girl are eligible to start—another open race.

The entries, weights and index numbers of the afternoon's sport follow:

First race—One mile, selling, three-year-olds and upward:

6553	No Friend	100
6525	Bassanio	100
6553	Turtle	100
6536	Currus	100
6536	Little Secret	100
6536	Insolence	100
6445	Fian	102
6324	Henry Clay Rye	112

Second race—Six furlongs, selling, four-year-olds and upward:

6353	Profitable	102
6541	Blueridge	103
6536	Eminence II	103
6508	Tioleta	103
6466	Skirmish	103
6525	Homage	103
6504	Nona B.	103
6476	Legal Maxim	105
6541	Gim Gore II	105
6553	All About	105
6529	Waiter	105
6529	MacFlecknoe	105
6553	Dark Secret	105
6164	Pirato	108
6148	Emshee	108

Third race—Five and a half furlongs, selling, three-year-olds:

6164	Samar	98
6524	Riceful	98
6513	Mabel Reed	98
6512	José Donlon	103
6512	Rodolfo	103
6513	Carlisle	103
6533	*Potrero Grande	108
6512	Capitol	110
6512	Picture	113

Fourth race—Seven furlongs, handicap, three-year-olds and upward:

6551	Foncasta	90
6353	C. B. Campbell	99
6515	Elwood	95
6537	M. F. Tarpey	95
6537	Columbia Girl	98
6551	Callant	100
6554	Greenock	102
6549	Barrington	105
6537	Glennevis	108

Fifth race—One mile and 100 yards, selling, three-year-olds and upward:

6549	*Durbar	88
6553	*Jingler	93
6533	*Ray	100
6532	Diamante	103
6547	Buccleuth	104
(6540)	Discus	109

Sixth race—Slauson course, selling, three-year-olds and upward:

6528	Natal	87
6517	Lady Fonse	90
6552	Susie Christian	90
6535	Moonstone	92
(6578)	Matronia	92
6552	Neko	95
6524	Jack Richelieu, Jr.	100
6539	Estado	105
6541	Katherine Ennis	105
6554	Eldred	105
(6536)	The Covenanter	105
6478	Nanon	108

*Apprentice allowance.

LACROSSE.
EIGHT GAMES SCHEDULED.

If Alf F. Mackenzie's plans are carried out there will certainly be something doing here in lacrosse after the ball team leaves for its first series in the north, no less than eight games being scheduled for this city during the first three weeks of May.

The first game will be between Los Angeles and Riverside, to be played in this city at Prager Park on Saturday, April 30. There will be an excursion from Riverside to see the game, and a big crowd of rooters is expected from that city. Riverside has some of the best lacrosse players in the State, for Perry, Kennedy, Clarke, Copely, Bain, Stewart and Allen can be shown but little about the game by anyone on the Coast.

The schedule of games to be played in this city is as follows:

April 30—Riverside and Los Angeles.
May 1—Los Angeles and Ontario.
May 7—Santa Barbara and Riverside.
May 8—All Southern California and Los Angeles.
May 14—Ontario and Riverside.
May 15—Ontario and Los Angeles.
May 21—Riverside and Santa Barbara.
May 22—Los Angeles and Santa Barbara.

The local team is doing hard practice work, the regular evenings being Monday, Wednesday and Saturday at 4 o'clock and Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

Minor Baseball.

The Hamburger baseball nine and the Azusa nine played at the Azusa grounds yesterday afternoon, the Hamburgers being the victors by a score of 6 to 4. The battery of the Azusa nine was Ashes and Preston, and for the Hamburgers, Simons and Bills.

The Rivera nine defeated the Christophers of this city at Rivera yesterday by a score of 6 to 4, the game being an intresting one from start to finish. The batteries were Phillips and Moss for Rivera and Simons and Huckaboy for the Christophers.

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Notice to Architects.

The Board of Trustees of the Hollywood Union High School District, hereby invite competitive plans for a two-story and basement brick union high school building, to cost fifty thousand dollars ($50,000.00). All plans must be in the hands of the undersigned not later than 1 o'clock p. m., April 25, 1904, at the Union High School Building at Hollywood, Cal. Further information may be had by addressing the undersigned.

The trustees reserve the right to reject any or all plans offered, and to pay for only such as shall be accepted by them.

F. M. CHAFFEE,
On behalf of the Board. Clerk.

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PROPOSALS FOR CONCRETE COLLARS: Office of Constructing Quartermaster, Room 31, Keating Block, San Diego, Cal., April 6, 1904. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received here until 10 o'clock a.m., April 18, 1904, and then be opened, for placing concrete collars around piles under wharf at Fort Rosecrans, Cal. Specifications, blank forms and information on application. Envelopes containing proposals should be endorsed "Proposals for concrete collars," and addressed CAPT. R. M. ROLFE, Q.M.

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Notice of Consolidation.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IN accordance with Chapter [illegible] of the Acts of the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of New Mexico of 1903, and in accordance with Section [illegible] of the Civil Code of California, the Santa Fe Pacific Hospital Association, a corporation existing under the laws of the Territory of New Mexico, and The S. C. Hospital Association, a corporation existing under the laws of the State of California, did heretofore, on the sixteenth day of January, 1904, by action of their respective boards of directors, or trustees, assented to in writing by three-fourths of the whole number of trustees of the Santa Fe Pacific Hospital Association and by three-fifths of the whole number of directors of The S. C. Hospital Association, agree and determine upon the consolidation of said Hospital Associations, the consolidation to be known and designated as Santa Fe Coast Lines Hospital Association and to be organized under the laws of the State of California with its principal place of business at Los Angeles in said State.

SANTA FE PACIFIC HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION.
By A. G. WELLS, Its Chairman.
Attest:
G. HOLTERHOFF, JR., Secretary.
The S. C. HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION.
By A. G. WELLS, Its Chairman.
Attest:
G. HOLTERHOFF, JR., Secretary.

Notice of Meeting.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A special meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Los Angeles will take place on Thursday, the 14th day of April, 1904, at the hour of 10 a.m. in the forenoon of that day, at its office and principal place of business, to wit, No. 202-204 South Spring street, city of Los Angeles, county of Los Angeles, State of California, for the object and purpose of then and there considering and voting upon a proposition of increasing the capital stock of the bank from [illegible], divided into [illegible] shares of $100 each, to [illegible], divided into [illegible] shares of $100 each; also to amend the articles of association in reference to the number of the board of directors. By order of the board of directors.

W. T. S. HAMMOND,
Cashier.

OFFICE OF THE CONSTRUCTING QUARTERMASTER, 312 Dooly Building, Salt Lake City, Utah, March 2, 1904. Sealed proposals in triplicate will be received here until 11 a.m., standard time, April 1, 1904, and then opened, for the construction, at Fort Douglas, Utah, of one Bachelor Officers' Quarters, including plumbing, gas piping, heating and electric wiring, and one wagon shed. The bidders will state in their bids the time in which they will complete the work. Full information and blank forms of proposals furnished on application to this Office. Plans and specifications may be seen here. United States reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals to be indorsed "Proposals for Public Buildings," and addressed to Captain SAM'L V. HAM, Quartermaster.

U. S. ENGINEER OFFICE, 518 BRADBURY building, Los Angeles, Cal., March 5, 1904. Sealed proposals for furnishing lumber, pipe, hardware, paint, etc., at San Pedro, Cal., will be received here until 11 a.m., April 5, 1904, and then publicly opened. Information furnished on application. C. H. McKINSTRY, Capt. Engrs., U.S.A.

EASTER IN LOS ANGELES

THE wonder of the Resurrection was celebrated with unprecedented joy and gladness yesterday in this city and the churches were not large enough.

There doubtless are some non-church-goers in Los Angeles, but if the entire populace had been of one mind yesterday the preachers would have been compelled to adjourn to the open air—in fact this very expedient was resorted to at the Plaza church, where the priest went out and blessed those who knelt in the street.

It was surely the most gladsome Easter festival ever celebrated in the local churches, for of the thirty or more churches visited by Times reporters, there was not one that was not crowded to the limit. Building Inspector Krause's flamboyant proclamation went for naught yesterday. Probably church-goers should be better law keepers than other people, but the desire to take part in the Easter services overcame every scruple, and the last inch of space in aisle or elsewhere was occupied by people standing, leaving only sufficient room for worshippers to trickle in and out single-file.

FLORAL PICTURES.

Early in the morning the streets and cars were crowded and all ways led churchward. The union sunrise service in the First Congregational Church and the early masses in the Roman Catholic churches brought out worshipers in great numbers, and there was scarcely a break between these and the other crowds which were moving to seek advantageous seats in the later services. There was a great desire to hear Dr. G. Campbell Morgan, which packed Hazard's Pavilion long before the hour for the service, in which the great preacher was the guest of Rev. Robert J. Burdette and the Temple Baptist congregation.

The music was thrilling and the decorations were a revelation. In some instances from 1500 to 2000 callas were used, and it was common to find 1000 wrought into the decorations. Probably not less than 50,000 calla blooms were thus utilized in the city yesterday—and this, to say nothing of the thousands of Easter lillies, fleur-de-lis and other white blooms of every description. An occasional dash of purple was to be seen, but this was very rare. It is difficult to vary these Easter decorations to any marked degree, though efforts were noticeable in this direction.

IMMANUEL'S INNOVATION.

At Immanuel Presbyterian Church the innovation consisted of three large white bells, overtwined with asparagus plumosus, and suspended over the choir. Ropes of smilax were festooned from the front chandelier to the pipe organ and the gallery pillars. A wreath of Banksia roses covered the choir rail; masses of callas graced the circumference of the platform, and smilax and fern-baskets filled the arches under the gallery. The whole effect was very fine.

VEIL OF ST. JOHN'S.

The decorators of St. John's Episcopal Church confined their efforts almost exclusively to the rood-screen in that artistic structure. It was covered with callas and surmounted by a cross wrought in the same flower, the whole effect being that of a white veil between the altar and the auditorium.

CHILDREN HARMONIZED.

For neatness and artistic effect the display in the First English Lutheran Church was unsurpassed. The little tots in the midst of an Easter service seemed a part of the decoration. The arch above the altar was outlined in Banksia roses and in the arch was suspended a floral cross and crown, while four other crosses of callas and white carnations and a harp of white roses were among the set pieces. The dark arched ceiling and rich woodwork formed a fine contrast.

AT THE PRO-CATHEDRAL.

One of the chief effects in the adornment of St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral was produced by great sprays of Cherokee roses twined around the pulpit, making it seem like a luxuriant bower. Bridal wreath and Banksia roses were used about the chancel, while on the high altar two columns of Easter lilies flanked the candles. A great cross of callas in a frame of palm branches dignified the east window of the nave. There were callas, callas, everywhere, and many carnations.

DEATH'S FRUITION.

Crosses all abloom with Easter lilies were given a prominent place in the decorations of the First Congregational Church. The entire pulpit area was embanked with flowers and evergreens, and waving palms embowered the organ loft, presenting a scene not only artistic but suggestive of Christian thought and privilege and expressive of the Easter idea of the fullest fruition through death.

CHARMING EFFECT.

At the First Methodist Episcopal Church Dr. McIntyre was almost hidden from view by the wealth of floral display placed by loving hands. The decorations were confined to the rostrum and choir space, but so beautifully had Easter lilies and other appropriate flowers, entwined with evergreens, been placed that an effect was produced far more charming than could have been effected had the effort been more ambitious.

TRIO OF ARCHES.

In Simpson Auditorium, where Dr. J. S. Thomson's independent congregation worships, the space to be decorated, in order to make a showing, is very large, and it was well handled yesterday. The choir rail, to the rear of the pulpit, was surmounted by three arches—the middle one of palm branches, beneath which was suspended a white dove, and the other two were formed of branches of blooming Lady Banksia roses. Over the broad platform were appropriately placed large masses of lilies and other flowers.

THE REDEEMER LIVETH.

Almost exclusively in living green were the decorations in University Methodist Church, symbolizing the theme expressed in the music of the service: "I Know that My Redeemer Liveth." High up on the pipe organ was a broad frieze of green, and below it another with an upper border of white roses. The front of the choir loft was covered entirely with green, studded at each end with a mass of callas. There was a border of lilies around the platform.

HE IS RISEN.

In the First Christian Church the decorations were exclusively in callas, which formed a solid mass in front of the pulpit and were wrought into two large crosses on the platform. Suspended over the crosses in green was the motto: "He Is Risen."

PRETTY WESTLAKE.

The general effect in Westlake Methodist Church was rich and tasteful, something new being exploited in the solid sheet of callas in front of the choir. The corner pulpit was in the midst of beautiful masses of bamboo and roses, and around the gallery hung many baskets of growing ferns. This neat interior readily lends itself to fine effects.

MASSES OF BLOOMS.

The feature in the decorations of the First Presbyterian Church was the great mass of material used with telling effect. A huge cross of callas stood to the right of the pulpit and on the left was a very large mass of the same blooms, while the front of the choir and platform were laden with callas, Easter lilies and Banksia roses.

TASTY FLORAL FIGURES.

In the First Baptist Church there were a series of floral figures of tasty design. At the baptismal font palm branches formed an arch, at the base of which were clumps of lilies and on the balcony above it a bunch of papyrus and lilies. Two other figures of the same kind and masses of flowers in front of the pulpit completed the decorations.

RICH SIMPLICITY.

In the First United Presbyterian Church at the head of the middle aisle there was a large pyramid constructed of 400 callas, which was much admired for its massiveness and simplicity; the same might be applied to the other decorations, which consisted chiefly of a mass of callas in front of the choir arch and a large bunch of papyrus to the right of the pulpit.

Boyle Heights Methodist Church also had very simple but effective decorations. Back of the pulpit was a massive cross covered with white material and decorated with asparagus plumosus; on its top was perched a white dove. There were several clumps of callas.

The little Church of the Epiphany was beautiful in green and white. Callas, fleur-de-lis and carnations were artistically combined in altar and chancel with smilax and ferns.

CATHOLIC CHURCHES.

"The Resurrection" was the universal theme of the Roman Catholic churches yesterday; every part of the services typifying some portion of the divine ending of a tragedy that has echoed down the centuries. The somber colors of the Passion Week were replaced by the emblems of light and joy for the risen Savior.

At every altar were fine arrays of daintiest blooms, the fairest lilies in profusion, and delicate greenery that gave suggestion of the new life which the day commemorates.

The main altar at St. Vibiana's Cathedral was most effective in its arrangement. High over the altar the curtains had been swept aside from the crypt where repose the relics of the virgin saint and martyr, St. Vibiana, and this repository was banked with calla lilies. Below this the chaste white marble of the high altar gleamed out from the gracefully placed masses of callas, white carnations, white roses and ferns; while the side altars were all beautified with lilies, bridal wreath and fleur-de-lis, with banks of palms and ferns at their bases. The bishop's throne was adorned with ropes of smilax, and the whole scene was made brilliant by the lights of the sanctuary.

And what an outpouring of the people! The churches could scarcely accommodate them even with the several masses which were celebrated during the forenoon. At St. Vibiana's long before the beginning of the services the pews were filled, and the people crowded the aisles up to the very rails of the sanctuary, until they were finally turned away, unable to gain admission.

Most picturesque was the scene at the Church of Our Lady of Angels. The old plaza church has found a fixed place in the life and affections of a vast number of people in this city, and on feast days it is but natural that they should turn their steps to the mother of churches in Los Angeles. It was even so yesterday, and the quaint old pile was crowded, every available bit of floor space being utilized. Then a contingent of devout worshipers gathered at the great side door, opening into the rectory grounds, and there knelt as the sacrifice of the mass was offered up, and there received the blessings of the priest.

The richest of lace altar cloths adorned the altars at this church, and festoons of smilax draped the walls of the sanctuary. The main altar was arrayed in white and green, great quantities of callas and roses being used. The altar to the Sacred Heart was decorated in lilies, red roses and amaryllis, while the Virgin's altar was daintily dressed in the white and green of the delicate bridal wreath and [illegible] guerites, and the altar's base [illegible] banked with palms and ferns.

Similar ideas were carried out in [illegible] other Roman Catholic churches of the city, and it is a question whether there has ever been such an elaborate display of artistic adornment in this city [illegible].

At St. Vibiana's Cathedral [illegible] imposing procession wended its way from the episcopal residence to the church, composed of Bishop Conaty, his assistant priest, the deacons of honor, the deacons of the mass and the altar boys bearing lighted candles, and others bearing the long train of the bishop's robe.

A pontifical mass was celebrated by Bishop Conaty, with Very Rev. [illegible] Harnett as assistant priest; Rev. [illegible] X. McCabe, C.M., and Rev. [illegible] Donahoe as deacons of honor; Rev. William Quinlan, deacon of the mass; Rev. M. L. Hennessy, subdeacon, and Rev. Joseph P. Kaiser, master of ceremonies. Last evening there was a pontifical vesper service with the same officers, and hundreds of electric lights added a brilliancy to the Easter decorations.

"I AM WITH YOU ALL THE DAYS."

NOT ALONE A PROMISE BUT A LIVING FACT.

Dr. Morgan Reaches a Climax in Easter Discourse—Hazard's Pavilion Thronged With Crowds of Devotees.

To thousands of Christian [illegible] Easter Sabbath is bigger with meaning because of the inspired [illegible] tions of the Rev. G. Campbell Morgan, D.D.

Those who heard Dr. Morgan's [illegible] Sunday discourse anticipated no [illegible] ter climax and had outlined for [illegible] eminent preacher his every [illegible]. But Dr. Morgan is a continual surprise. During the week he has led his auditors back from the triumphal entry scene through the personal ministry of the Christ, making real the teachings that have been veiled in mystery and meaningless because of curtailed vision. At the well of Sycher he has drawn water that has refreshed the listening multitudes. At Golgotha he has tarried in reverent discourse, directing the gaze of all to the tragedy of the centuries and emphasing the lessons of the crucifixion, peace, purity and power that Christ have been presented as Christian privilege and duty, all leading to the Easter triumph, to the opening of the tomb, to the new morning that followed the fulfilling of prophecy.

Had Hazard's Pavilion been twice its size yesterday people [illegible] to hear Dr. Morgan would have [illegible] ored for admission. As it was, [illegible] auditors were privileged to participate in what was, without question, the most remarkable Easter service [illegible] held in Los Angeles.

[illegible] yielding to public demand, Dr. [illegible] dette's pergola joined with the [illegible] morning at the pavilion.

[illegible] sunny slopes of Olivet. About [illegible] Christ were grouped eleven [illegible] apostles who even then could [illegible] quite comprehend the mission [illegible] they were called, nor could they [illegible] see the grave responsibilities [illegible] be thrust upon them. For them [illegible] the beloved teacher had been [illegible] them. To them the cross had been [illegible] finality to their hopes, as evidenced [illegible] the conversation of the heavy-hearted disciples in the Emmaus walk. They had lost their leader. [illegible] terious reality He was again [illegible] them. Now they confront [illegible] separation, inspiring anxious [illegible] ing. His only reply is to [illegible] "preach," "baptize," "disciple [illegible] tions;" His assurance, "I am [illegible] all the days, even to the consummation of the ages."

To attempt an analysation [illegible] sermon would amount to profanation unless the writer was endued with the same power that moved the speaker to utterance. It was a message of love, of constancy, of foreordained suffering and triumph. The keynote was, to quote from the text, "I am with you." The consummation of the divine Commissioner: "Behold, I am with you all the days, even to the consummation of the ages."

In elaboration Dr. Morgan said: "We have been taught that if we get ourselves into trouble Christ will get us out of it, but if through disobedience we pursue paths that divert from the line of truth and rectitude we are left to ourselves. Such teaching has not a vestige of support in Scripture. Christ says, 'I am with you,' and I prefer to believe Him. This declaration of the Christ is not a promise, it is a fact. Is it the case of a morning, burdened with the cares of life, this thought comes to us: 'Which of these troubles? Is it worth while? He is with me!' And as the Christ [illegible] take possession of heart and mind the clouds are dispelled and the sun shines illumines and cheers.

One other thought was [illegible] by Dr. Morgan, of interest to the Bible student, linking the [illegible] tions and clothing the risen Christ with divine attributes. "Analysis of the significance of the text," said the speaker, "'I am with you.' Haven't those two words a familiar sound? Is it that utterance a meaning that is conveyed by mere Savior? No, the phrase comes ringing from the pages of the Old Testament. It is the 'burning' bush when Jehovah revealed His identity to Moses. And in all His ministry Christ makes use of it. He says: 'I am the good shepherd,' 'I am the Bread of Life,' 'I am the truth and the life,' 'I am the door,' 'I am the resurrection.' 'Before Abraham was, I am.' And when the mob found Him in Gethsemane what was His answer to their query? He did not say, 'I am Jesus of Nazareth.' His response was, 'I am.' Why did the multitude fall back stricken to the ground? He had answered the question that carried to them the full import and had He not validated the reality the tragedy of the cross would have been enacted.

"But we have now passed from the symbols and Christ comes with the perfect declaration to you and me: 'Lo, I am with you all the days, even to the consummation of the ages.' But what does it all mean? It means an untiring love, unceasing watchfulness, personal interest. More than that, it means little wondering band of disciples on the Mount of Olivet than all the glory of the heavens. Prove it, you say. It proceeds into heaven. Instantly there are two messengers who find the disciples gazing into space, dumfounded and broken. Their message is, 'Why stand ye gazing up into heaven? This same Jesus, which is taken up from you into heaven, shall so come in like manner as ye have seen Him go into heaven.' And ye have seen Him go into heaven, and the earth was given to Him at the completion of His enterprise—the reformation, the perfection of the human heart, the vast departments of philanthropic, government, engineer-

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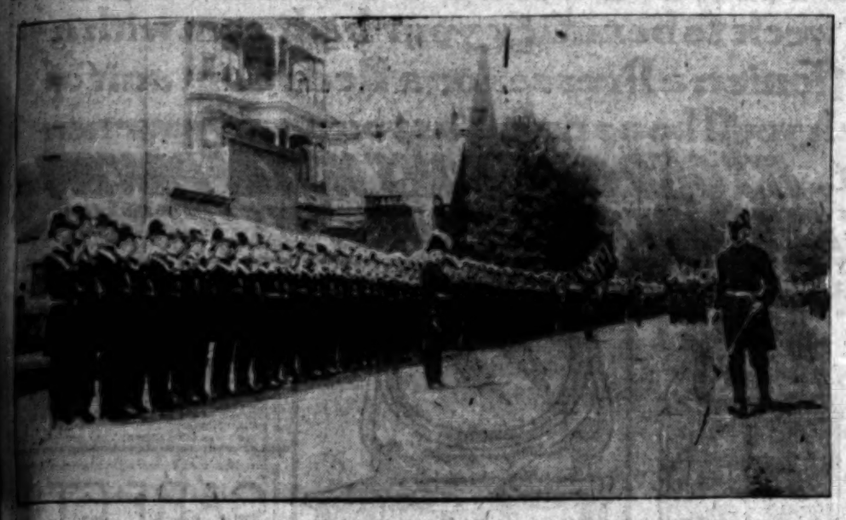
REV. SHERMAN.

ST. ATHANASIUS.

...s a secluded spot on Custer street, ...Temple, nestles a neat little house ...worship known as St. Athanasius ..., whose destinies are presided ... by the Rev. Stephen A. Sherman, ...ate of Rochester, N. Y. The Eas... ...services were a delightful surprise ...even experienced church people. ...cozy edifice was packed. The ...floral decorations were profuse yet ...tasteful. The recently organized sur...



Knights Templars Marching to Easter Services at Christ Church.

...pliced choir made its initial appear... ...ance the morning exercises and ...realized the fondest expectations of ...its most enthusiastic promoters.

...The rector's discourse was characterized ...by deep and forceful, making a deep ...impression upon the minds of all privileged to hear it. The response to the ...invitation was a generous one in view ...of the numerical and financial ability ...of this rather insignificant parish, but ...the hearts of its good people are bigger than their purses.

REV. DOGGETT.

EPIPHANY CHURCH.

...Here is the place where He was ...laid, there was a garden." After ...the services of Good Friday, and the ...agony of the cross, it is right and ...meet that the flowers should blossom ...on this day. The early service at ...which a large congregation was present... ...witnessed the admission of the ...members of the Brotherhood of St. ...Andrew, recently formed in the parish. ...The usual morning prayer was said ...by the rector, Baptism administered, fol... ...lowed by a sermon by the rector, Rev. ...Mr. Doggett, from the text: "Did ...not our hearts burn within us as He ...talked with us by the way?" The ...subject matter in his sermon, ...Jesus Christ in our ...lives, or the every-day duties of ...life, the high days—at confirma... ...tion, Easter—days of inspiration ...and happiness, or in time of deep sor... ...row, walk with Christ and our ...hearts burn within us. Are we not apt ...not to walk with Him along the ...dusty highways of daily cares and ...pleasures?"

...In the evening service children cel... ...ebrated the Easter festival with flow... ...ers and carols and the presentation of ...the Easter offerings for missions. ...Miss Mee, the organist, was pre... ...sented with a watch from the members ...of the congregation, out of recognition ...of long and faithful service.

REV. PIERCE.

MEMORIAL BAPTIST.

...C. C. Pierce, at the Memorial ...Baptist Church, preached on "The ...Empty Tomb," taking for his text ...Luke 24: 6: "He is Risen."

...Of the empty tomb that makes ...Easter of the cross possible," said ...Mr. Pierce, "it is because of the message of ...the empty tomb, because of the hope ...it gives and confirms, because of the ...power of life and character of which it ...is the sign that we are able to see the ...meaning of all in this life which is ...sealed in the cross. It is because ...of this that there is beyond that we are ...to feel, and to know, that 'our ...affections here, which are but ...temporal, shall work out for us a ...far more exceeding and eternal weight ...of glory.'

...'He whom he who never sees ...Shall shine through his cypress ...trees lays his dead away, ...Only to see the light of day, ...Where mournful marbles play, ...Whose hath learned, in hours of ...faith,

...The truth to sense and flesh unknown, ...That death is ever lord of death, ...And love can never lose its own.'"

DR. THOMSON.

"ASCENDING TO GOD."

...Rev. R. B. Thomson, pastor of the ...First Church of Christ, preached ...yesterday morning in the Simpson Auditorium on Christ's ...words, "I am ascending to my God." ...He gave an outline of his thought: ...that Christ would live and ...preach in this world as He ...had before His death, and, ...more partly in this thought; but ...he opened her that He was as- ...cending to the glorious fullness of ...eternal life. His body had been ...raised, how His spirit was expand... ...ed by reception of power and au... ...thority from the Father. He com... ...missioned to tell His brethren 'I ...go to my Father and your God.' ...He left his disciples the nature ...of God as they could understand ...it, and called them His brethren, ...they had accepted His teach... ...ings, developed and obeyed God ac... ...cording to His example, Christ wor... ...shipped to God, obeyed God, ...received power from God, and hon... ...ored His Father, and His dis... ...ciples likewise. He was rising to ...a higher life and that God. This was a ...surprise to them. He requested this ...grateful woman not to touch ...Him, not passing through the pro... ...cess of final ascension. He was ab... ...sent in process. Her loving touch ...was not His ascension.

...Our minds are concentrated ...upon the thought, any interruption ...to the full development of the ...lesson learn from this revelation ...that a human life after death ...in knowledge, power, expe... ...rience, self-consciousness. When ...Christ His disciples by appoint... ...ment declared to them that all ...power in heaven and earth was given ...Him, the completion of His ...glories—the reformation, ...the perfection of the human ...heart departments of phil... ...osophy, government, engineer... ...ing, architecture, geology, transportation, poetry, oratory, astronomy, home making, etc., there are opportunities for everlasting progress; and men and women in the next life will receive power to work out fulfillments in all these lines. Christ performed only a part of his vast undertaking before his death, and it may take millions of ages to finish it. He is now engaged in the grand work which He began in this world; and it may be that countless millions of spirits are now in the other world, prosecuting the work which their deaths seemed to stop forever. Every noble dream will become true. The largest moral prophecies will be fulfilled. The prayers of earth's reformers will be answered in the completion of their dearest hopes somewhere and some time in the universe. No man can think a thought so great that God cannot make it a reality. The universe has forces and laws sufficient to materialize the grandest imagination of the highest archangel. We rejoice today in the celebration of the feast of and hope. To us He says: 'Have confidence. I have overcome the world.'

"Nothing but Christ can satisfy the human heart and the human mind. Angels sufficed not for Mary when she passed through the dark Eastern morn. She sought the Rabboni. Men and angels are as shadows of the Lord, whom alone we should seek."

DR. JONES.

THE COMMON HOPE.

Rev. C. J. K. Jones preached yesterday morning in the Church of the Unity on "The Common Hope of Immortality." He said in substance:

"Today, the professedly Christian portions of our race celebrate the bodily resurrection of Jesus of Nazareth from the grave. This is made the basis of belief for the personal immortality of Christian believers. The rites and ceremonies connected with this day are a commingling of Jewish, Christian and heathen usages and observances. These have been so long consecrated to Christian services that they are looked upon as of solely Christian origin. Christians, as a rule, have come to accept as gospel truth what is only a matter of mere assertion, unsupported by any historical basis of fact, and resting entirely upon custom and usage. These assertions, in aim and character, are one with the persistent efforts to prove that Christianity is the only valid religion which is especially pleasing and acceptable to the Divine Being. In these efforts to make Christianity in general, and its thousand subdivisions in particular, to be an exclusive faith, the hope and surety of immortality is given an especial emphasis. By the majority of the clergy and laity of Christendom it is held that, outside of a specific belief in the benefits wrought by Jesus' death, there can be no immortality.

"Of late years, however, there has been a tendency to admit that unbaptized infants may be saved—to immortal life. This change of attitude by some of our Protestant sects has been brought about by the stress of popular opinion.

"Much of the Christian doctrine bearing on the common hope of immortality limits the hope to an exclusive few of our race, and so is as unhistorical as it is unethical and essentially irreligious. It is unhistorical in that it asserts that it was only when Jesus of Nazareth began to preach, were 'life and immortality brought to light' as an element of hope, faith and spiritual endeavor in human hearts. Read Plutarch's 'Consolatory Letter to His Wife,' or Seneca's or Epictetus's nobler utterances. As a matter of historical fact, long centuries before Jesus was born, as also in the times coeval with Him and among peoples who never heard of Him and His doctrines, men and women of devout and upright lives were hoping and believing in a hereafter as seriously and as purely as are any of the millions of worshiping Christians today."

REV. CONNER.

LILY OF THE VALLEYS.

Rev. E. S. Conner, at the East Eighth Street Christian Church preached on the subject "The Lily of the Valleys." "We are to gain today," said he, "a view of Christ's fadeless beauty, of the imperishable fragrance of His life, of the incomparable growth of His influence and power, His eternal preeminence, and the universal satisfaction which He brings to the world. We are to consider the beautiful, symmetrical, and ideal character of the Christ.

"The text represents Him as possessing the most beautiful character. 'I am the rose and the lily of the valleys'—the fountain of all sincere delight, and the source of every genuine and abiding pleasure. The rose is not more pleasing to the eye, nor is the lily more acceptable to the sight than the knowledge of Jesus Christ is to those who know Him; for to know Him is life eternal. The lily is endogenous. It grows from within. Its heart is ever new and being renewed. Jesus said, 'I lay down my life,' as the Father hath power in Himself, so hath the Son power in Himself,' thus affirming the fact that the life is in Him and that He did not derive it from the world. The beauty of Christ's character is seen in the great 'moral miracle' of His life, and this is greater even than the miraculous works of His hands. His life, so strikingly perfect is an irrefutable proof of His divinity. His character, so absolutely faultless and so transcendent in its radiant beauty, is an irresistible evidence of His supernatural being.

"The fragrance of the flowers is emblematical of His influence. 'Of the increase in His government, and peace there shall be no end,' and 'all nations shall be gathered unto him,' are prophetic statements, even now being fulfilled. He is changing the thought, purposes and life of mankind. His principles and His ideals, His teachings and His views of life, duty and destiny, are being slowly but surely interwoven into the fabric of human society. True it is, as one has said that, 'All history is incomprehensible without Him.'"

BISHOP JOHNSON.

AT CHRIST CHURCH.

A throng gathered yesterday morning to witness the first Easter services in the new Christ Church. Not only was the main auditorium crowded, but the sliding partitions admitting a view of the participants from the smaller room on the north side were early opened for the accommodation of the public.

The floral decorations were simple, as befitted an interior of such decorative beauty, but were extremely effective. The entire front of the chancel was banked with callas and white marguerites, on a background of pepper boughs and smilax, overarched at intervals with plumes of the date palm. The entire height of the pulpit was covered by a beautiful cross of single Cherokee roses, toned with the light green of their own foliage.

A profusion of Easter lilies on smilax formed a striking background for the altar. On the two shelves high above the audience on either side of the chancery stood immense vases of stately callas.

Bishop Johnson preached. He spoke a brief but earnest message from the text, "As in Adam all shall die, even so in Christ shall all be made alive."

"This is a simple message," said the bishop, "but essentially the one for the Easter lesson."

He went on to show that it is only through the fact of death in the world that we are quickened to strive for life; that it is the thought of inevitable death here that inspires men to hope for better things and strive to make physical death merely the gateway to life everlasting. The fact of death is man's inspiration to push forward for the higher things that will raise him above its destruction.

The musical programme was excellent, the choir including Mme. Genevra Johnstone-Bishop.

In the afternoon the Knights Templar attended services at Christ Church, in full regalia.

DR. SMITHER.

RESURRECTION CREDIBLE.

At the First Christian Chrch yesterday morning Rev. A. C. Smither preached to a large audience upon "The Resurrection Credible" from the words of Paul: "Why is it judged incredible with you if God doth raise the dead?" The church was beautifully and tastefully decorated, and the music under the direction of Prof. Joseph Dupuy was exceptionally fine. Mr. Smither said, in part:

"On this glad Easter day men are seeking the proofs and results of the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the grave. It is a most credible saying that 'Jesus is risen.' When God's power and authority are connected with it the difficulties disappear, for with God even the resurrection of the dead is a possibility. The resurrection of Jesus is not more incredible than His character, His conduct, His teaching, His marvelous works. It is but the fitting consummation of a life so filled with the power of God. The character of the witnesses of His resurrection places it beyond the incredible. The number witnessing it was too great for description, or collusion. Their subsequent work and influence show them to have been men of too much ability to have been duped. These witnesses were too familiar with Jesus not to have known Him personally upon His appearance to them. In fact, His resurrection was a surprise to many of them who had returned to their usual vocations. Their sincerity, their fidelity to Jesus, was proved by their martyr's death; for attestation of this fealty to Jesus tradition says every apostle of Jesus died a martyr's death. No man will die to substantiate a known falsehood.

"The resurrection of Jesus is credible in the light of the existence and service wrought in the earth by the church of Jesus Christ. How could the church which rests upon the great truth of the resurrection have begun had there been no facts in the life of Jesus to have justified its beginning? How could the Lord's day which commemorates the resurrection of Jesus have had a beginning had there been no resurrection of Jesus from the dead? How could the ordinance of Christian baptism which commemorates the death, burial and resurrection of Jesus have been inaugurated in the world had Jesus not triumphed over the tomb? In the light of this universal existence in the church of Jesus Christ His resurrection from the dead is the more credible.

"The credibility of man's resurrection from the dead follows upon that of Jesus' victory over the grave; for the scripture connects the resurrection of man with his Christ. Then it is needful to satisfy the genuine need and nature of man which cannot be satisfied in this world. It will require the eternal years of God to fill up the soul of man."

NEW MEMBERS.

GRANDVIEW PRESBYTERIAN.

The pressing necessity for a new and enlarged church building was demonstrated at Grandview Sunday morning when every seat in the auditorium was filled, while chairs in the vestibule were occupied and children sat in the laps of their parents. The communion service was conducted by the pastor, preceded by the reception of twenty-eight new members, seventeen of whom came by profession of their faith. Three infants were baptized.

The Sunday-school is also overflowing, and the little ones are unable to remain to church service for lack of room.

MILLS MEETING.

LIFE AFTER DEATH.

Rev. Benjamin Fay Mills conducted an Easter service yesterday morning in Blanchard Hall. As usual, the hall was packed to the doors. Special solos were rendered by Miss Adaline Stephens, the popular soprano soloist of the Royal Italian Band, and Miss Mary Mills.

Next Sunday morning Mr. Mills will deliver his last address in Los Angeles for the present, speaking in Blanchard Hall on "The Greater Easter." On Sunday evening Mr. Mills spoke in Pasadena, and is to be heard in that city every afternoon and evening this week, with the exception of Saturday.

The subject of Mr. Mills's Easter address yesterday morning was "Life After Death." He said, in part:

"There are three classes of people as relates to their opinion concerning human immortality. First, those who profess to know that all human beings live after death. Second, those who deny immortality, and third, those who know, in part, but expect the best.

"I wish to speak words of great good cheer today, although personally I am not as deeply interested in this question as in many others. I want the best and that alone, whatever the best may be. I believe with Lotze that "that will persist which is for the good of the universe," but I believe that there are good grounds for the faith of men in human immortality, for this has been the faith of most of the best men of the race. The Egyptians, and Hindoos and Chinese and Persians, many of the old Greeks like Pythagoras and Thales and Socrates and Plato, of the Romans like Seneca and Plutarch and Cicero, of the Germans like Kant, Herder and Fichte, and of our own countrymen, even of men as different in their opinions as Thomas Paine and Ralph Waldo Emerson, agree in saying that "all the comfort we have found teaches us to confide that we shall not have less in times and places that we do not know.

"In the second place there is an analogy from nature which we see in seeming death and revival, and in the experience of all animal life in sleeping and waking.

"Still further are the intuitions of the soul itself. John Tyndall said that at his best he believed in God, and our own Whittier well says:

"'Oh, sometimes comes to soul and sense
The feeling that is evidence
That very near about us lies
The realm of spirit mysteries.'

"Again it seems reasonable to believe that the incompleteness of human experience shall be fulfilled in the future. As Victor Hugo wrote, 'I feel that I have not said the thousandth part of what is in me. When I go down to the grave, I can say like many others, I have finished my day's work, but I cannot say, I have finished my life. My day's work will begin again the next morning.'"

GOLDSMITH'S "BURKHARDT."

Los Angeles Man Wins the Popular Actress.

Secretly Wed and to Live in Los Angeles.

What About Mrs. C. Dickson's Mr. C. Dickson?

The winsome little actress famed from sea to sea as Lilian Burkhardt, lately the wife of Charles Dickson, the actor—so lately that scarcely any one knew up to last night that she was other than his wife—arrived in the city yesterday the wife of George Goldsmith, a well known "good fellow" of Los Angeles, merchant, and a prominent member of the local lodge of Elks.

Goldsmith left for the East a couple of weeks ago, and the cause of his going was a mystery, even to most of his friends. He had long been an ardent admirer of the clever actress who is so well known to Los Angeles theater-goers, and it was rumored then in certain circles that he had crossed the continent because he could no longer remain away from her charms; but then, how about Mrs. Dickson's Mr. Dickson? No news of a divorce had yet leaked out, so the possibility that Goldsmith had something serious in view when he hied himself toward New York, the Mecca of actors and actresses and those intent upon them, was "passed up" as an improbability.

But shortly after the arrival of the morning overland yesterday the registration, "G. Goldsmith and wife, city," appeared on the Van Nuys register, and pretty soon the close friends of Mr. G. Goldsmith about town began to realize that a surprise party had dropped in on them.

Many were the congratulations for the newly-wed couple, that began to arrive at the hotel in the evening, carried there by a few of the groom's intimates who were allowed the rare privilege of entering the couple's private apartments, and telephoned in by other of the "boys" about town who had just heard that "George" had returned one more in number than when he departed. Newspaper folk, however, were denied any explanation of the surprising event by the Goldsmiths.

Lilian Burkhardt arrived here as Mrs. Goldsmith ahead of the news of her divorce from Dickson, which made the surprise the greater. It is well known that she has been practically separated from her actor husband for some time, and she was evidently quietly granted a divorce without letting the public know of it.

Lilian Burkhardt has been in vaudeville for five or six years, and has been one of the most brightly shining stars of that segment of the theatrical firmament. She is an especial favorite on the Pacific Coast, and has a host of personal friends in this city, particularly in Jewish circles. She made her first great success in legitimate plays with Charley Dickson in a production entitled "Incog," in which she toured the Coast twelve years or so ago.

Mrs. Goldsmith announces that she is through with the stage, for the present at least, and the couple intend to settle down in Los Angeles in a house of their own.

THE OIL INDUSTRY.

ALL STIRRED UP OVER ROAD CASE.

"DUSTLESS" COMPANY KICKING UP MUCH DUST.

Claims of the Mattern Patent Owners are Denied by Those Fighting for Free Right to Sprinkle the Streets With Our Own Product in Our Own Way.

The beneficial results to be obtained by the application of oil to roads has passed the experimental stage, and throughout the State of California its use is limited only by the ability of counties and municipalities to incur the expense. It has been proven that in durability, in comfort and in healthfulness, the oiled road is cheaper in the long run than any other ordinarily constructed outside the bounds of the larger municipalities. Each year larger amounts of oil are utilized in this way, and inasmuch as it has been shown that these oiled roads, when properly prepared, even resist the flow of storm waters, more rapid extension of oiled roads in country districts is only a matter of time.

But overshadowing the matter of utilizing the product of the local oil field in this way, is the possibility of every municipality, every county board of Supervisors, every railroad and electric railway, being made to pay a royalty upon ever rod of road to which oil may be applied. The Dustless Roads Company of California, being an offshoot of the parent company at Camden, N. J., controls the Mattern patent, and is claiming royalty on all roads now being made by the application of oil. The counties and municipalities of the State have banded together for the purpose of fighting the Mattern patent, and last week when the Redlands case was before Judge Wellborn in the United States District Court The Times adverted at length to the interests involved. The committee of Supervisors and municipalities contend that if the Mattern patent is sustained, and the Dustless Roads Company permitted to enforce the payment of royalties that will mean the limitation of oiled roads to the barest possible margin on the score of cost; and that instead of oiled roads becoming very general and water for sprinkling being gradually relegated to the rear, that there will necessarily be a reversion to antique methods where the more expensive and permanent pavements cannot be laid.

To all of this the Dustless Roads Company takes exception. That organization maintains just to the contrary, that the Dustless Roads Company is responsible in the first place for oil being used to apply to road making, and that instead of being a menace to the increased consumption of oil, it directly encourages it. I. B. Wood is secretary for the incorporation controlling the Mattern patent, and in speaking along this line, he gave the views entertained by the company with which he is connected.

"I am aware," said Mr. Wood, "that it has been suggested that something like a body blow will be given to the oil industry, so far as its application to road making is concerned, if the company establishes the validity of its patent. Los Angeles County Supervisors have been quoted as saying that in such an event they could only afford to oil the main arteries of travel throughout the county. But such a contention is merely setting up a man of straw, for the pleasure of knocking him down. This company has not exacted a royalty in excess of $15 per mile, or an equivalent to about 10 per cent. of the cost of the oil used. In the case of a city street the royalty is equivalent to about 1 or 2 per cent. of the entire cost of constructing the thoroughfare.

"The fact is," proceeded Mr. Wood, "the Supervisors could not afford not to oil the roads that have to receive decent consideration. Each year the oil treatment, including the amount of royalty to the company, will cost less than sprinkling by water under the old-fashioned method. An oil treatment endures for a year or more, and every time it is given it builds up the roadbed; a water treatment endures about an hour in the dry season, and every time it is given it has a destructive effect upon the roadbed.

"As a matter of fact, the Mattern patent is entitled to the credit for the large demand that has developed for oil for road purposes. Before that patent was granted it is common knowledge that there was no such demand. It is true that the assertion has been made that prior to the date of application for the patent roads were oiled in California, but no one so far has come forward to give the time and place when and where this happened. This inability to locate the alleged 'prior use' is confessed by the Judiciary Committee of the League of California Municipalities, in a late report, a document that substantially admits the validity of the patent. The truth is that the only road oiling, prior to the issuance of the patent, was done by Mr. Mattern in the course of experiments that resulted in his application. The idea of making roads with oil was so strange, so distinctly novel, that he was ridiculed and regarded as a crank."

Mr. Wood contended that Mr. Mattern secured contracts to oil small stretches of road in Los Angeles and San Bernardino counties, after some effort; and later, certain streets in Redlands, and that at that time no question was raised as to the validity of the Mattern patent.

After thus giving a resume of the general stand taken by the company he represents, Mr. Wood said that the company is not afraid of the issue in an open trial in court, but that so far it has been a mere 'sparring for points' by reason of the fact that the defense has resorted to dilatory tactics permitted in demurrer procedure.

At the same time, some of the points made by Mr. Wood are challenged by those opposing the patent. It is true that no proof has been offered of 'prior use' of oil as a road-making substance, and probably will not be offered until the case is tried on its merits. But that such proof exists is asserted, though the attorneys having the matter in hand refuse to discuss matters that will be of importance in evidence at later date. With reference to the recommendations by the counsel for the eastern and western railroad associations that the royalties should be paid, there is now a letter on file in the city in which it is stated by the attorney appointed to investigate that and other matters in the East, that counsel for one association recommended that the royalties be paid, while counsel for the other association recommended just the reverse. A point of agreement was reached, it is true, but so far as railroad companies are concerned, there are always wheels within wheels, and a little point in connection with the 'prior use' of oil for road making will illustrate it.

Many years ago, in the earliest days of the oil industry in California, the Southern Pacific had a small oil tank at Santa Ana. The leakage from that tank packed the earth round about and attracted attention. The late J. A. Muir, at that time superintendent of the division, realized the suitability of oil for laying dust on the track and packing the roadbed, and brought the matter under the notice of the higher authorities of the Southern Pacific system. So much has been known to a number of people, friends of Mr. Muir, but when it came to getting official corroboration of the matter, the dates and exact data, the railroad refused any assistance. It apparently prefers to pay royalties, and will not aid one jot in attempting to combat their payment.

SAN DIEGO.

REPUBLICAN POLITICS.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO, April 3.—The call for primaries to elect eight delegates to the State convention will be made by the County Central Committee of the Republican party next Saturday at which time it will also be decided whether or not primaries will be held in the Eighteth Assembly District for the same purpose. State Senator M. L. Ward is the avowed candidate on the Republican ticket for the Congressional nomination. W. E. Smythe will probably be the Democratic candidate.

San Diego Commandery, Knights Templar, and sojourning Sir knights attended Easter service at St. James Episcopal Church. The sermon was by the vicar, H. F. Zimmerman.

CORONADO.

MISS YAW AT THE HOTEL.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

HOTEL DEL CORONADO, April 3.—Ellen Beach Yaw, who is to sing at a concert in the Isis Theater tomorrow evening, is at the hotel, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. M. J. Yaw, and her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Benj. F. Thorpe of Covina.

The guests enjoyed a complimentary concert given this afternoon by the Ohlmeyer Sextette, in the auditorium.

Mr. and Mrs. James Monroe Flower will leave Tuesday for their home in Chicago.

Joseph Burr is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Burr at San Bernardino.

The arrivals yesterday included Mrs. C. F. Gunther, W. Gunther, Chicago; H. C. Chase, Mrs. Andrew Smith, Los Angeles; M. F. Benson and wife, Chicago; C. B. Smith, Seattle; H. J. Shoeman, Buffalo, N. Y.

SAN LUIS OBISPO.

REPUBLICANS CALLED TO MEET.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN LUIS OBISPO, April 3.—The Republican County Central Committee has been called to meet in this city on April 9 at 2 p.m., for the purpose of electing eight delegates to the Republican State Convention of May 18 in Sacramento. The delegates will be appointed by the committee. It is anticipated that the committee will pass a resolution indorsing former State Senator S. C. Smith of Bakersfield for the Congressional nomination. The Beach Republican Club last night passed resolutions indorsing Smith.

Mrs. Elvina Eubanks, one of the pioneer women of this county, died last night at the age of 77 years. She leaves two sons, John and Joseph, and one daughter, Mrs. William Tracy.

Mistress: Didn't the ladies who called leave cards?

Maid: They wanted to, ma'am, but I told 'em yez had plenty of your own and better ones, too.—[Yonkers Herald.

CLAREMONT.

PARK IMPROVEMENT.

CLAREMONT, April 3.—After lying unimproved for many years, the college park is now receiving attention. A four-horse team with plow and scraper went to work yesterday, leveling and grading, preparatory to the construction of a gravel sidewalk on the north, east and south sides of the park. The park covers the entire block between Harvard and College avenues, and Fourth and Fifth streets. Many magnolia trees will be planted on Arbor Day to be celebrated tomorrow. Extensive landscape gardening has been done by the same artist who planned and laid out the famous Smiley Heights of Redlands. Previous attempts to set out trees about the town have failed because of lack of water during the summer. I. F. Wire has volunteered to keep all the trees that are beyond the reach of hydrants watered during the summer.

The Easter services this morning were distinguished by an unusual beauty and solemnity. The church was decorated by Miss Florence Wharton, in green and white, callas, white ivy and roses. Music was rendered by a quartette composed of Misses Condit and Eldredge, Messrs. Bacon and Bissell, also a solo, "I Know that My Redeemer Liveth," by Miss Condit. The sermon was preached by the pastor, Rev. Henry Kingman, on the text, "I Am the Life."

A reception was given on Saturday night at the residence of C. C. Johnson by the young men of the senior preparatory class, in honor of Miss Marie Hagins, a member of the class who is to leave for her home in Indiana tomorrow night.

Misplaced Sympathy.

The tears were running down his cheeks and his face bore the impress of inconsolable sorrow. A kind-hearted, sympathetic citizen who was attracted by the youngster's evidence of woe inquired to the cause of his sorrow.

"Tommy's dead!" replied the boy, between sobs.

"That's too bad! But be a good boy and you'll meet him again in heaven," said the citizen, soothingly.

"Aw, wot yer givin' me? Tommy is a dog, and Bill West's Towser killed him. I'm cryin' because pap'll lick me when he hears about it."

The sympathetic man resumed his journey a sadder but wiser man.—[Albany Journal.

DEATH RECORD.

PECK—At her late residence, Pasadena, Cal., on Easter, 1904, Mary W., widow of the late George H. Peck, deceased Easter, 1903. Funeral services will be held at the Church of Our Savior, Tuesday, April 5, at 11 a.m. Interment private.

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[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

GUN CLUB CASE DRAGS ALONG.

CARRIED ONE STEP NEARER TO SUPREME COURT.

Fullerton to Entertain Orange County W.C.T.U. Convention—Mrs. Walter Discharged, Goes Back to Her Old Soldier—Who Pays for Santa Ana Street Repairs?

SANTA ANA, April 3.—Another step in the slow fight between the Westminster ranchers and the Bolsa Chica Gun Club was taken yesterday when the bill of exceptions upon which the case is to be carried into the Supreme Court was mutually agreed upon by attorneys for both sides. Early in the history of the present contention Judge West granted a temporary injunction against the ranchers, restraining them from hunting or fishing upon the premises of the gun club. Later, upon argument of the matter, he issued an order dissolving the temporary injunction, and upon this order the attorneys of the Gun Club are carrying the suit to the Supreme Court, contending that the court's ruling in dissolving the injunction was contrary to law and equity. The bill of exceptions as agreed upon by the attorneys was approved by the court, placing the matter in readiness for presentation to the higher tribunal.

W.C.T.U. CONVENTION.

The annual convention of Orange county W.C.T.U. workers will be held April 27 and 28 at Fullerton, the society of that place furnishing entertainment for visiting delegations. Besides local speakers, addresses will be given by Mrs. Emma Cash of Los Angeles, State president; by Mrs. L. W. Ingersoll of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Stella Irvine of Riverside, State lecturer of the union. New officers will be chosen for the coming year.

MRS. WALTER DISCHARGED.

Mrs. Pearl Walter, accused of robbing Dr. J. A. Monahan of $440, and arrested Thursday at National City on a charge of petty larceny, has been released from custody on account of lack of evidence to connect her with the alleged disappearance of the money. She has returned to San Diego county to continue keeping house for Barker, the old soldier with whom she went away from this city.

MINOR EVENTS.

Harry Weinburg, whom A. H. Horwits accuses of stealing money and shoe-repairing tools from his shop on Fourth street, was brought here last night from Los Angeles, and will have a hearing tomorrow on a petty larceny charge.

A lively struggle is pending between Fourth street property owners and the city as to who shall foot the bills for the repaving of the thoroughfare where the old asphalt has been damaged beyond further repair. The Council has ordered the work done, with the expectation that property owners would pay for it, but the latter are unanimous in their refusal to meet the Council's expectations. The matter will be carried to the courts if an attempt is made to collect from the individual holders.

The First National Bank of Santa Ana has filed suit against John W. and S. Jones to collect on a promissory note of $700.

Ross B. Stephens of Los Angeles and Mary Ann Trudeau, daughter of J. Trudeau of this city, were married here this morning. They will make their home in Los Angeles.

As committees to provide for the entertainment of the California Promotion Committee's excursion of Friday morning, the Chamber of Commerce has appointed D. H. Thomas, Robert McFadden and A. D. Bishop to provide conveyances for the drive from here to Orange, and George A. Edgar, F. P. Nickey and Col. S. H. Finley to arrange details of their reception and entertainment. The committee is busily at work securing automobiles and carriages sufficient to convey a party of 125 for the six-mile drive to be taken immediately after breakfast.

Bolsa High School won from Santa Ana in a close game of baseball at Athletic Park yesterday afternoon, the score standing three to one in favor of the peatlanders.

Lester Jefferson, aged 36 years, died here yesterday after a protracted illness. He was a native of New York and formerly lived at Bolsa. The body will be shipped to Oakland for interment.

Rev. B. C. Cory, pastor of the First Methodist Church, addressed the Knights Templar this afternoon in the hall of the new Masonic Temple. Members of the order were out in full regalia.

SAN BERNARDINO.

MACHINISTS WON'T STRIKE.

SAN BERNARDINO, April 3.—Sheriff Ralphs announced this morning that he had been notified by the Santa Fé officials that the services of the guards deputized yesterday and Friday will not be needed, and asking their dismissal. This, with an order posted at the shops notifying the machinists that commencing with Monday the ten-hour schedule would go into effect, is taken as an indication that some sort of a settlement has been reached, and all fear of a strike is removed.

The local machinists state that they have received no notice of a settlement having been reached, but are inclined to the belief that a walkout will not be resorted in any event, as the great majority of machinists are strongly opposed to such a step. They also say that the order for a ten-hour schedule, affecting all departments, is on account of the rush of work at the shops.

ROWE INQUEST.

Justice C. L. Thomas this morning took charge of the inquest over the remains of Constable Edwin Rowe, who was run over by a Santa Fé train at the Third-street crossing some nights ago, dying from the effects of the injuries yesterday morning. The verdict was that he came to his death from injuries sustained by being run over by a Santa Fé passenger train, and that in the judgment of the jury it was an unavoidable accident, under the present surroundings, there being no gate or flagman at that point.

THE DIVORCE MILL.

Mrs. Charles W. Higgins of Barstow has been granted a decree of divorce and possession of the property owned by the couple and the discarded husband is ordered by the court to refrain from interfering with the woman in any way. Higgins recently attempted suicide at Barstow by sinking a butcher knife into his body, while brooding over his wife's action for divorce. One of the principal witnesses against Higgins was Foreman S. H. Wells of the Barstow shops, who testified that Higgins could have all the work he wanted, but had been boozing for months and recently attacked his household furniture with an ax, while demented from the effects of whisky.

Robert F. Wetzel, a well-known youth about town, has secured a divorce from his girl-wife, Cora Robertson, on the grounds of desertion. Two weeks after their marriage she left him because he objected to having her make a daily practice of doing the housework for her parents. Those two weeks were the only time they lived together.

SHORT BITS.

Chris Jorgensen, the noted landscape painter, was a guest last evening at the home of Dr. George B. Rowell, having come from the Yosemite to hang a painting, "The San Juan Capistrano Mission," at a Riverside hotel.

Sheriff Ralphs every morning makes a careful search of the cell occupied by the condemned murderer, Miguel Antony. It is feared that in some manner he may succeed in getting some weapon smuggled to him, with which to commit suicide.

LOMA LINDA.

WELL WISHERS MEET.

LOMA LINDA, April 3.—The annual meeting of the Loma Linda Well Wishers was held in the parlors of the hotel last Sunday evening. The programme consisted of readings, whistling, instrumental and vocal music of sacred order. After a very pleasing evening the meeting adjourned to the last Sunday evening in March, 1905.

Numerous carriage and tallyho parties from Redlands and Riverside are seen daily upon the hotel drives, for aside from the attractive features of the immediate grounds, Loma Linda Hill commands by far the best view of this beautiful valley, almost encircled by green foothills and snow-capped mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Meaut of Chicago, Mrs. J. B. Hoxsie, of St. Paul, Mrs. S. R. Hemingway, Miss Rachel B. Hemingway, Miss Mary E. Gill, Miss Florence Fiske Gill of Redlands, Mrs. E. L. Johnson, Newton, Ct., and Miss Anna Barnum of New Haven Ct., registered as guests at the hotel Monday.

Miss Bunnelle of Pasadena is spending a few days at Loma Linda this week.

M. C. Adler and family of Los Angeles have taken apartments at the hotel for a few weeks, are spending much of their time in driving.

Oscar C. Muller, Esq., of Los Angeles was at Loma Linda this week.

Perry F. Weidner came out from Los Angeles Wednesday evening to visit his wife at Loma Linda.

Robert Arkinson and wife of Los Angeles drove over to Riverside in their automobile Monday.

COLTON.

HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL.

COLTON, April 3.—The first baseball game of the High School League series was played on the Colton High School grounds yesterday against the San Bernardino team, resulting in the score of 18 to 1 in favor of the home team. The game was all but a shut-out, the San Bernardino boys making their only run on a passed ball in the last minute of the game.

PAVILION SOLD.

The Colton Pavilion, one of the landmarks of this city, has been sold to the Colton Fruit Exchange to whom it has been leased as a packing-house for a number of years. This large building, which stands at the northeast corner of I and Tenth streets, was built ten years ago by popular subscription and cost $12,000. It was built for the purpose of housing agricultural fairs of this district, when the State Board of Agriculture guaranteed aid. One successful fair was held in it, but the next year the act granting State aid to agricultural shows was repealed, and the building was devoted to other uses.

LOCAL CULLINGS.

Miss Ida Wienike, sixth grade teacher in the Colton schools, was called to her home in Missouri this week by the illness of a dear friend. Miss Gertrude Booth has been chosen to teach her school until her return.

The ladies of the Methodist Church gave a market supper Friday evening in the City Hall. It was a great success, gastronomically as well as financially; $85 being cleared, which will be applied on a new outside dressing for the church.

The Young People's Whist Club was very pleasantly entertained Friday evening at the home of Mrs. M. A. Hibberd, by Mr. Curtis, president of the club. The first prize, a beautiful bouquet of American Beauty roses in a handsome vase, was won by Miss Mae Raymond. The gentleman's prize, a burnt-wood stein, was won by S. E. Andrews.

The ladies of Colton Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, cleared $27 at a tamale social, given at the home of Mrs. W. W. Wilcox, on Tuesday evening.

D. Johnston purchased thirty-two lots in South Colton Friday from the Pacific Improvement Company as an investment, and expects to find no difficulty in disposing of them as building lots in the near future.

REDLANDS.

NEW CHURCH OPENED.

REDLANDS, April 3.—The people of Trinity Episcopal Church parish observed Easter by holding the first service in their handsome new church edifice at the corner of Fern avenue and Fourth street. The dedication of the new house of worship will occur next Sunday. The church is of stone and is one of the finest of the many handsome churches in Redlands.

ORANGE PICKING.

Orange picking and packing is now being rushed to the limit in this district since the rain, the various packing houses all working to their full capacity. The several rainy days allowed an accumulation of cars which will relieve the shortage for some days. The fruit is now very ripe and must be rushed to market as rapidly as is possible. The shipments from Redlands for this season will pass the 2000 carloads mark this week, which is but about 400 below last season's total.

STRAY FACTS.

Redlands Knights Templar today attended Easter services in San Bernardino with the commandery of that city.

Street Superintendent Iveson has commenced extensive improvements in Brookside avenue for which the citizens of that section have been eagerly clamoring for many months.

Maria Villa and Rica Belensuela will appear before Judge Gifford tomorrow on a charge of the larceny of several musical instruments from Mrs. Ellen Hill while the family was away from the house. They are in jail pending the hearing.

Several months ago Oscar Cromelnes, foreman of the Gregory packing house, had a leg crushed by being caught between a loaded truck and car. He has never regained use of the injured member and now it is probable he will have to submit to an operation for its amputation.

The Redlands postoffice for the month of March shows an increase over last year of $562.34, and for the quarter ending March 31, $1194.81 over last year.

WANTED TO SEE HER HUSBAND.

EXCITING SEQUEL AT ELSINORE TO RIVERSIDE WEDDING.

Proprietor of Lakeview Hotel Arrested on Battery Charge Preferred by His Newly-acquired Daughter-in-law—Bride Deserted in Two Days by Unwilling Groom.

ELSINORE, April 3.—An exciting sequel to a midnight wedding in Riverside a week ago was enacted here Friday afternoon resulting in the arrest of C. S. Traphagen, proprietor of the Lakeview Hotel, Saturday evening, on a charge of assault and battery preferred by his newly-acquired daughter-in-law, Mrs. J. H. Traphagen.

The hotel-keeper's son, J. H. Traphagen, and Miss Beulah Gebhardt of Riverside were married Saturday, March 26, in Riverside, the wedding taking place at midnight under rather sensational circumstances. It is alleged that the young man was forced to marry the girl in order to avoid a charge of seduction. The unwilling bridegroom stayed with his bride until Monday, when he returned to his father's hotel in Elsinore.

The young woman, thinking the duty of a wife was to cleave to her husband, followed him here, arriving in Elsinore Thursday. On Friday afternoon she visited the Lakeview Hotel and introduced herself to her father-in-law, who failed to receive her with open arms. She told him she wished to see her husband, but the elder Traphagen, instead, ejected her from the hotel and grounds, using force and violence, she alleges, in so doing.

A physician was called to attend young Mrs. Traphagen after her encounter with her father-in-law. She is reported to be in a delicate condition, and to have suffered much from the shock brought on by the affair at the hotel.

Saturday Mrs. Traphagen swore out a warrant for the arrest of the hotel-keeper on the charge of assault and battery. Mr. Traphagen was taken in custody Saturday evening and arraigned in the local court of justice. He pleaded not guilty and was released on $50 bail to appear for trial at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon.

Traphagen denies that he used force on the young woman. He says she came there on purpose to create a disturbance and he ordered her away.

RIVERSIDE.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

RIVERSIDE, April 3.—George N. Reynolds, the merchant, who has been confined to the City Hospital several weeks, as the result of an operation for appendicitis, was able to be removed to his home today, but he will not be at the big store for several days to come.

City Clerk Stebbins is busily engaged sending out sample ballots for the municipal election which is to be held one week from tomorrow. As yet, very little interest has been aroused.

Dr. E. B. Howe, the dentist who gave up his practice to enter the Orange Growers' National Bank service as vice-president, when "Tom" Hays was fired, has announced that he will reenter the dental profession.

West Riversiders had a novelty today in the shape of a Sunday baseball game. The West Riverside and Colton mines crossed bats on the local diamond.

WOODMEN COME HOME.

Large Party That Conducted an Initiation on Mount Lowe Return Without Incident.

Final figures show that there were 654 Woodmen of the World took part in the initiation ceremonies on top of Mt. Lowe, Saturday night. They came from twelve different States.

At 5:45 yesterday morning, just as the rising sun shot its first arrow of light at the snow-capped peaks to the eastward, the party started down from the summit. They were pretty chilly and hungry when they arrived at Alpine Tavern and warmed themselves around log fires and by imbibing several barrels of hot coffee.

Between 8 and 9 o'clock a.m. the main party started for the city and it was several hours before all had departed. No accident of any kind occurred during the entire jollification.

A NOVEL SENTENCE.

A Man Holds His Life in His Own Hands.

When a person has not the spunk to undertake his task, even when his life depends on it, it is time he was using Mormon Bishop's Pills to cleanse, renovate, and tone his system. They are sold at only 50 cents per box, or six boxes for $2.50, at Off & Vaughn Drug Co., 302 S. Spring street. When nothing else will restore sleep, or cure the tobacco and liquor habits, Mormon Bishop's Pills will.

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To come into a fortune by chance is not as satisfactory as feeling that you are liable to make it yourself. When you do not feel that way it is because you are physically and nervously weak. Cupidene, the great nerve restorer and cleanser, is worth a fortune when you need its assistance. The Davol Medicine Co. of San Francisco, when they obtained the secret of making this great remedy—twenty-odd years ago, little dreamed of the great blessing it was to be to manhood. Its success since that time has been a grand march of progress. Sold at $1 a box, six boxes for $5, at Off & Vaughn Drug Co., 302 South Spring street.

World's Fair St. Louis.

Thousands will go to St. Louis from the Coast, and complete arrangements for carrying them have been made by the Southern Pacific. If you are planning to go, ask any questions about rates, time of trains, by mail or in person, of nearest agent, or at Southern Pacific ticket office, 261 South Spring street, Los Angeles.

People of Iowa and Illinois.

Have a personally conducted excursion leaving Los Angeles Wednesday via Illinois Central Railroad through San Francisco, Salt Lake, Scenic Colorado, Ft. Dodge, Waterloo, Dubuque and Rockford, connecting at Chicago for Boston, New York, and Canadian points. C. Haydock, Agent, I. C. R. R., 253 S. Spring street, Los Angeles.

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MILLS INVADES PASADENA.

POPULAR EVANGELIST OPENS A SERIES OF MEETINGS.

Socialist Stevens Unable to Draw a Crowd—Easter Services in All the Churches—Annual Election of Valley Hunt Club—Healer Doland-son Goes the Way of All Flesh.

PASADENA, Office of The Times, No. 24 South Raymond Avenue, April 3.—Rev. Benjamin Fay Mills, whose family has been residing in Pasadena for some time past, came out from Los Angeles yesterday and delivered his Easter address in Woodman Hall last night to a large audience, on the subject, "Between the Animals and the Angels."

A number of citizens have been so desirous that Mr. Mills be further heard in Pasadena that they have secured a large store room at the corner of Colorado street and Marengo avenue, and are fitting it up as a temporary hall in which Mr. Mills will speak. It will be called Fellowship Hall, and will be ready for the first meeting this afternoon.

Mr. Mills will speak every afternoon this week at 2:30 o'clock and every evening at 7:45 o'clock, with the exception of Saturday. His afternoon addresses will consist of the remarkable series given in Los Angeles and other cities under the general title of "The True Meaning of the Sermon on the Mount." In the evening the subjects will include the most interesting of Mr. Mills's recent addresses in other cities. This evening, by special request, he will speak on "The Divinity of Christ."

SOCIALIST DIDN'T DRAW A HOUSE.

J. Stevens and Lucy Beckham were to have addressed a Pasadena audience last night at Recital Hall in favor of the utterances of the Rev. Mr. Gladstyne in a recent sermon in Los Angeles. The eloquent divine is said to have made some caustic references to the basic ideas of the socialistic faith, not at all to the liking of the socialists. The meeting last night was guaranteed to be worth the trouble of coming out. About a dozen people wandered down to the hall, to be sure that it was not Socialists but Friends of opposing faith that the Stevens desired to address and owing to the presence in the city of Rev. Benjamin Fay Mills the meeting would be delayed until such a time as Mr. Mills did not occupy the center of the stage.

EASTER SERVICES.

Easter was remembered by all the churches and also by the ladies and others. The floral decorations in the churches were in all cases elaborate. Music was another feature.

There was a long special programme rendered by the choir of the Presbyterian church. At St. Andrew's Catholic church was celebrated with much pomp a special mass, practiced on Easter Sunday, was sung under the direction of Prof. Heinze. The programme included a 4 o'clock vesper service, at which Rev. J. J. Enright officiated. All Saints' Episcopal rendered a long and beautiful Easter programme. An Easter song service was rendered at the First Methodist, with much local talent. The Lord's Supper was observed at the United Presbyterian. At the Universalist Church, in addition to the music in the morning there was a fine programme at the evening vesper concert.

The Congregationalists raised money for the distribution for paying off the balance of the church debt of $3000.

WANTS A TRANSPORT.

C. N. Churchill, a chronic drunk, is now serving a sentence of six days in the County Jail, has written to the police authorities that he desires a transport through the lines in his overcoats into Pasadena and a guarantee of safety after he arrives from his term is served. He also desires that some kind family should adopt him and care for him until he is old enough to take care of himself. As the venerable inebriate is very or quite outlived the allotment of mankind, nothing is likely to come about finding the family. The transport, since the doctor says he is going to write to the President it, the police will await advices from Washington. Churchhill has been "down in" so often that the last time was given the limit.

HEALER DIES.

A. D. Donaldson, who has laid claim to wonderful powers in the line of healing, died Saturday night at his home, 134 North Fair Oaks avenue, where he has resided for the past two years. He was a native of Stonehaven, Scotland, aged 65 years, and leaves a widow here. The funeral will be held on Monday at 2:30 o'clock p. m., Dr. C. H. Hobart officiating. Interment will be in Mountain View Cemetery.

FOR GREEN GOLF CUP.

This afternoon and tomorrow on the links of the Hotel Green, eight players will vie for the annual championship cup of the hotel. As a prize, in addition to the loving cup, a medal is offered and the lucky winner will be engraved with the second prize will be a silver cafe.

VALLEY HUNT CLUB ELECTION.

Members of the Valley Hunt Club Saturday evening at the clubhouse the annual election of officers. The gathering was somewhat in the nature of a social function, as an informal dinner was served before the business session. There were more than present. The personnel of the board was not greatly changed. Mr. F. Rowland was re-elected president; Charles Burton Scott, vice-president; William R. Staats and Charles H. Hamilton, secretaries. Stevens Halsted, director to the official board. This board is the House Committee, but has other duties also. As soon as this committee is appointed the programme of events for the ensuing year will be out. The treasurer's report shows the club in a flourishing condition, the membership roll is larger than ever before in the history of the club, which is the oldest purely social organization in Pasadena, and which claims the most exclusive set. During the past year the club has given many elegant functions, and the Entertainment Committee has scored success by the originality and pleasing character of its entertainments.

MORE FUNCTIONS.

Invitations have been sent out by Mrs. Alexander Roy Metcalf, Jr., at Hotel Green Tuesday evening, April 12, in honor of Miss Thomas and Edward H. Green-

Mrs. Thaddeus Lowe will on Friday evening, April 22, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. H. Banks of Philadelphia.

Mrs. James H. McBride will give a reception Thursday afternoon, April 14, and has issued invitations for a dinner Wednesday.

Mrs. A. K. Hoyt will give a luncheon Thursday, April 14, in honor of Miss Morehous.

NOTES OF INTEREST.

J. Levering Jones and Bayard Henry of Philadelphia, a firm of attorneys and bankers, each accompanied by his wife, arrived in Pasadena yesterday and will remain about a week. They have apartments at Hotel Green. Both have extensive mining interests in the West.

The death of Mrs. B. Manheimer, aged 26 years, occurred yesterday morning at No. 183 North Marengo avenue, from pneumonia. She came here from Chicago two months ago. Her husband survives her.

The death of Mrs. Mary W. Peck, widow of the late George W. Peck, occurred on the anniversary of the death of the latter. Mrs. Peck was the mother-in-law of J. E. Jardine, manager of the Orange Growers' Association. The funeral will be held at the church of Our Savior at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning, and interment will be private.

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SANTA MONICA.

STREET IMPROVEMENTS.

SANTA MONICA, April 2.—At their last meeting the Santa Monica City Trustees set in motion the machinery that will shortly result in permanent public improvements that will cost many thousand dollars, give employment to a large number of men and prove of lasting benefit to the city. All of the alleys of the city between Ocean avenue and Fourth street from Colorado to Washington avenue are to be graded, graveled and oiled. South Third street, Eleventh, Fourteenth, Fifteenth and Sixteenth, from Colorado to Nevada are to be put on an established grade, preparatory to paving. Bids are requested for a lateral sewer between Tenth and Eleventh streets, and for cement walk and curb on Fifth from Colorado to Utah. Concrete sidewalk and curbing are to be built on Oregon avenue on the north side from Eleventh to Seventeenth streets. Hill street is to be sidewalked in the middle from the beach to the electric tracks. Colorado avenue is to be graded, graveled and oiled from Seventh to Twelfth. Hollister avenue is to be paved with asphalt or concrete.

BRICK PLANT ENLARGED.

When the new buildings now being constructed at the plant of the Sunset Brick and Tile Manufacturing Company on Twenty-sixth street, are completed that plant will represent an outlay of $75,000. Four new kilns, each costing $4000, are just about finished, as are also twenty dry flues, each 110 feet long and seven feet high. A half million brick were used in their construction. This company is just in receipt of reports on tests of clay recently sent east for the purpose of determining its adaptability to the manufacture of sewer pipe. The reports are favorable and a complete set of sewer pipe-making machinery will, in all probability, be added. The boiler room has been cleared of the wreckage brought by the recent gas explosion, and steam will be turned on probably tomorrow.

FLOTSAM AND JETSAM.

The streets of the new tract of Forty-eight lots out on Oregon avenue are to be graded and oiled and the entire tract will be curbed in concete and concrete sidewalks will be constructed.

Capt. Michael MacCarthy of San Francisco says he will at once bring a glass-bottomed launch to Santa Monica Bay to replace the wrecked gasoline launch Donohue. The new boat expects to make excursions to as distant points as Catalina.

Santa Monica was shaved and had its hair cut today, for the first time on Sunday in many moons. The barbers have agreed to keep open house on Sunday.

Mrs. Mattie Woods is building a five-room cottage on Arcadia Beach. W. G. Miller is building a story and a half house to cost $1800 on California avenue near Fifth street.

H. E. Reed has purchased from J. A. Culp the seven-room house at No. 453 Fifth street; consideration stated, $4500.

Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Collins have taken the Spencer cottage at Fifth street and California avenue for the season.

RIVERA.

DEATH OF DR. DENTON.

RIVERA, April 3.—Dr. Lyman W. Denton died very suddenly of heart disease Saturday afternoon at his residence in Rivera. The doctor was born in New York in 1847, practiced medicine in Minneapolis twenty-five years and came to California a year ago on account of failing health. He leaves a widow and one son, Van L. Denton, principal of the Ranchito school.

WHITTIER.

DEATH OF MISS WALTERS.

WHITTIER, April 3.—The death of Miss Mabel Walters, the 16-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Walters of this city, which occurred here Friday, brought sadness to many people to whom she had endeared herself during the years in which the family have lived here. Her death was caused by organic heart trouble, from which she had long been a sufferer.

Dr. C. J. Cook last Thursday evening gave a very interesting lecture before the members of the East Whittier Woman's Club, his subject being "Non-Alcoholics in Medicine." The meeting was presided over by Mrs. John Dull and was held in the auditorium of the East Whittier school building.

Rural delivery route No. 1 was inaugurated Friday morning in East Whittier, S. Mendenhall, the carrier, making the first trip at that time. The route covers a distance of nearly twenty-five miles.

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BUILDING BOOM AT OCEAN PARK.

DOZEN COTTAGES COMPLETED AND A SCORE BEGUN.

New Business Houses Started at the Beach—Prospective Temperance Crusade—Citizen's League Expected to do Great Things—Volunteer Fire Department Organized.

OCEAN PARK, April 2.—A dozen new cottages completed and a score commenced, that is the record of the week on the beach. Brick and lumber are being put on the ground for four blocks on Pier avenue that will cost not less than $100,000. Real estate is also moving at an encouraging pace. The week's records of new business enterprises includes a book store, a fruit store, one grocery, a bicycle shop and the breaking of ground for a livery barn.

TEMPERANCE CRUSADE.

There is renewed talk of another temperance crusade from one end of the beach to the other within the next few months. And it would seem that it is not all talk since the Santa Monica and Ocean Park Prohibition League has been organized with the following officers: President, W. H. Slack; vice-president, T. B. Cody; secretary-treasurer, Henry Ent; marshal, Olaf Olson; chaplain, J. A. White. The next meeting of the alliance will be held April 23, when a plan of campaign will be adopted.

CITIZENS' LEAGUE.

Ocean Park is expecting great things from her Citizens' League now being organized. The association embraces all of the territory on both "sand" and "dirt," commonly known as Ocean Park, regardless of town limits. In other words, it extends from Strand street to Short Line Beach. To stimulate a friendly rivalry the league is to have two wings. That territory north of Marine street (and in Santa Monica) is to engineer the organization of the north wing, while Mayor Dana Burks of Ocean Park will look after the formation of the south wing. The articles of agreement set forth the fact that as the interests of the territory are practically one and the same, regardless of imaginary boundaries, harmony and unity of purpose should prevail. The league will take the place of a Chamber of Commerce or Board of Trade. One of the things discussed was that of building a boulevard from the seaside to Los Angeles. Another suggestion is for a public park. Other ideas to be worked out cover public drinking fountains, seats for visitors and strangers, and a fine pavilion on the beach.

OCEAN SPRAY.

The Ocean Park volunteer fire department is organized, and will meet in a few days for drill. A. E. Robinson was elected secretary, and Frank A. Werner chief. No president has yet been chosen.

C. J. Wilson has purchased the Capt. Sheldon residence property on South Third street; consideration private.

Claire M. Trimby is preparing to build a seaside cottage on Park avenue. W. Herwig of Los Angeles is putting up a neat residence on Thornton avenue.

The new block to be erected by Maier & Zobelein on Pier avenue and Ocean Front is to have three stories. The Dutton Drug Company has leased the ground floor, the second will be devoted to offices, and the third to apartments. It will be a pretty tiled-roof structure.

By virtue of appointment by the County Superintendent of Public Instruction, the school board of the new town of Ocean Park is constituted as follows: Mrs. M. De Luna, Mrs. Frank A. Werner, and A. R. French. As yet the city has no schoolhouse, but sends its young people to school in South Santa Monica.

Friday is the date fixed for the organization of a junior section of the society for the prevention of cruelty to animals. Mrs. James H. Blagge is promoting the organization, which will be the only branch of the order west of New York.

Mrs. C. H. McCracken of Pittsburgh, who is wintering here, has been entertaining Mrs. M. A. Bennett and daughter, Gertrude, of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Innis and her father, J. A. McCarthy of Pittsburgh, who spent the winter here, have returned to Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Curtis have returned to their Fenton, Mich., home.

H. E. Sinclair of Los Angeles is located at No. 172 Fraser avenue for the season.

Mrs. G. C. Thompson and daughter of Louisville, Ky., are here for several months.

William Muir, a retired and wealthy farmer from Kansas, has moved with his family into a cottage at No. 1228 Lake street.

E. H. Murray of St. Paul, Minn., has purchased the cottage at No. 402 Ocean Front.

P. Bendixon and family of Minneapolis are at No. 142 Fraser avenue.

Miss Austin, a well-known writer of short stories for the Youths' Companion and Black Cat, has been visiting with her invalid mother at No. 81 Ocean Front.

Dr. A. J. Salisbury has been called to New York. His family will remain here during his absence.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Carr and daughter, Miss Grace, have returned to their home in Kansas City. They expect to return later to permanently reside here.

Mrs. H. A. Burd and daughter of Kansas City, Mo., have taken No. 4 Sunset avenue for the season.

CATALINA ISLAND.

MUCH BUILDING GOING ON.

AVALON, April 3.—Improvements are the order of the day on Santa Catalina. Besides the $100,000, which the Banning company has expended on the island during the past year, there are a great number of small improvements which, in the aggregate, amount to a considerable sum. A single contractor, Seth Glidden, furnishes a list of cottages and improvements which he has completed since the beginning of the year, which includes the following: For Mrs. F. M. Battles of Pomona, a seven-room cottage on Sumner avenue; for C. M. Richardson of the California Hardware Company, Los Angeles, five-room cottage on Clarissa avenue; for John Robarts, a four-room cottage on Pescador street. He has also for Dr. Macomber of Pasadena a stairway reaching from his cottage to the beach, a distance of 97 feet, having eight platforms and costing $350; for S. D. Bradford, he has enclosed the front porch of his residence on Sumner avenue, with glass, forming a cozy sun parlor; for A. M. Jaug, a four-room cottage on Sumner avenue; he also has contracts with A. W. Paine, M.D., C.S., of Los Angeles, for building a five-room cottage on Sumner avenue; with Miss A. L. Chevalier of Los Angeles, a six-room cottage adjoining Dr. Paine's and for F. J. Moll, a small cottage on Marilla avenue. Mr. Glidden is building for himself three flats of five rooms each and one of four rooms, on Maiden Lane, to cost $3000.

J. F. Hagan has made several important improvements in the Coronado Flats on Whitney avenue, which he has recently purchased, and he is now having plans drawn for a residence on the site of the "Owl's Nest," a commanding site, which overlooks Hotel Metropole. Mr. Hagan's residence is to cost in the neighborhood of $10,000.

Harry Bates is also building a five-room cottage, with modern improvements, on Eucalpytus avenue, of which Mr. Fairchild is the contractor.

EASTER SERVICES.

Easter opened auspiciously at the Congregational Church with special exercises by the primary Sunday-school children. The little ones each found an Easter egg out among the shrubbery; and the Easter song was sung out of doors, in the presence of parents and friends. At the morning church service a congregation that filled the house listened with interest to the Easter sermon, and to the special music, consisting of a quartette and solo. The decorations were exceptionally tasteful and beautiful, conspicuous among them being Easter lilies, and a large cross of double daisies. This evening there will be a "people's Easter responsive service," with special music.

ISLAND BRIEFS.

E. A. Allen and wife of Artemus, Ky., and C. V. Hastings and wife of Minneapolis are at the Grand View.

F. W. Stoll of Los Angeles and Mrs. Craemer and Miss L. Craemer of San Francisco are guests at the Grand View.

SCHOOLHOUSE IN ASHES.

LONG BEACH SUFFERS A HEAVY LOSS BY FIRE.

The Daisy Street School Building Burned Sunday Morning—Elegant Structure Cost Eighteen Thousand Dollars and Was Insured for but Twelve—Cause of Fire Unknown.

LONG BEACH, April 3.—Long Beach was visited by a disastrous fire at 7 o'clock this morning, and the Daisy-avenue schoolhouse is naught but a pile of ashes.

When the fire was discovered the entire roof was in flames. A telephone message brought the fire volunteers to the scene, but there was no available water, as the school is in the extreme west end of town where fire protection has been neglected. A fierce wind was blowing from the bay, and the building, which was frame, with a plaster veneer, was rapidly consumed.

All that was saved was the desks of the principal and Miss Arnold, which, fortunately, contained all the school records. The building, school desks and the books of 350 children were totally destroyed. The loss is $18,000, on which there is an insurance of $12,000.

The Daisy-street school building was completed only last September, and was considered to be a triumph of school architecture. Its destruction makes the school situation in Long Beach rather desperate. Despite efforts of the school trustees to provide accommodations for the rapidly-growing population the schools are overcrowded and now the problem of taking care of 350 houseless pupils will give Superintendent Morgan and the trustees several sleepless nights.

A contract is to be let next week for a new six-room school on Sixth street, but it will not be ready for several months. It is probable that half-day sessions will have to be inaugurated in all the schools.

The origin of the fire is unknown. The city schools are having their spring vacation and there had been no fire in the building for a week. Some think that sparks from the burning marsh grass back of the school yesterday may have blown on the roof and smoldered all day and night. City Electrician Clough, however, thinks that the fire was caused by defective electric wiring, which he inspected and reported on some time ago.

HOLLYWOOD.

VALLEY ECHOES.

HOLLYWOOD, April 3.—The Los Angeles-Pacific Railroad is building a new ticket office on Prospect avenue, near Cahuenga avenue.

The Methodist Episcopal Sunday-school held its annual "egg hunt" Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. J. J. Pickst is improving slowly from the effects of a severe operation at the Emergency Hospital, Los Angeles.

All of the churches were beautifully decorated and appropriate Easter exercises were held in each today.

Jack Hampton gave a tennis party to about twenty of the young people of the valley Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. J. F. D. Finley, wife of the former pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, died recently in Phoenix, Ariz., of pneumonia.

Catharine Pauley, daughter of Cashier Pauley of the First National Bank of Los Angeles, is quite ill with pneumonia, at Hotel Hollywood.

Between 9000 and 10,000 visitors called at M. Paul de Longpré's studio during the past three weeks.

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NEWS AND BUSINESS.

East Indian Lecturer.

Swami Trigunatita of Calcutta, East Indian scholar, began a series of lectures yesterday in Camera Club Hall on Hindoo philosophy. His subject was "Basis of Christianity on Logic and Science."

Schumann-Heink Sale.

The reserved-seat sale for the engagement of Mme. Schumann-Heink will open this morning at the Union Pacific ticket office. In a private letter to Mr. Behymer, her manager states that for many years he has not had a star that has played to the capacity of every hall as has Mme. Schumann-Heink this season.

Gnaidecki May Recover.

Joe Gnaidecki, the cook whose face was used as a target by young Berry Solomon because of attentions to the latter's mother, will probably recover from the effects of the four bullet wounds. At the County Hospital yesterday Gnaidecki was reported as resting easy, but it was considered best to await until this morning to operate on him.

Erik of Sweden.

Tonight at the Mason Operahouse Ben Hendricks, the Northland singer, will open in th elatest of the Swedish-American dramas, "Erik of Sweden." The engagement is a short one of three nights and a bargain matinée on Wednesday. Mr. Hendricks will be well remembered as the original Ole Olsen and Yon Yonson of the early Swedish dialect plays.

Robbed by Room-mate.

S. E. Lyon of No. 229½ Wilmington street, is looking for Edgar Barr, his room-mate, and so are the police. Lyon and Barr had been rooming together for several weeks, and on Saturday night Lyon left $23.60 in the room, telling Barr where it was. He went down town and did not return until late. When he reached the room he could not find his money, nor could he find Barr. Then he told the police about it, and they think Barr and the money disappeared simultaneously.

Psychological Tyndall.

Blanchard Hall was crowded yesterday afternoon to hear Dr. Alexander J. McIvor-Tyndall's lecture on "Our Common Birthright." He declared that he believes the American Declaration of Independence to be an excellent example of inspired writing, meaning by that, a truth that emanates from the spiritual side of life. He followed the lecture by entertaining demonstrations of psychic power. Next Sunday afternoon he will talk upon "Success; How to Obtain It."

Electric Railway Items.

An order has been issued by the general manager of the Los Angeles Railway warning the public that on and after April 10 no transfers will be issued to or received from the Pacific Electric Railway's Arcade Depot line by the Los Angeles Railway. Pending the completion of the latter company's track along East Fourth street, its Arcade Depot line cars are running to the depot by the usual Fourth and San Pedro-streets route, but are returning via Fifth to Spring street.

Hotel Sold.

Negotiations for the sale of the Broadway Van Nuys Hotel, mentioned in The Times last week, have been consummated, the management of the house passing from Harry Loomis and C. C. Loomis to C. H. Brooks, formerly of St. Louis, president and chief stockholder of the newly-incorporated Broadway Van Nuys Hotel Company. The price received by the Loomis brothers was a little over $40,000. They paid M. M. Potter $33,000 for the business between two and three years ago. The Loomis brothers will retain possession pending the recovery of Mr. Brooks, who is ill in the hospital.

Mock Trial.

The Young American Club and the Y.M.C.A. Junior Debating Lyceum will participate in a mock trial at the Second Congregational Church on Daly street, at 8 o'clock this evening. Marcel Herbelin is to act as the culprit in the sham affair, and will be prosecuted for setting fire to the Los Angeles Hive and Box Factory on the night of January 24, 1904. Walter E. Switzer and Ernest W. Findlay of the Y.M.C.A., will defend the prisoner, and the prosecution will be represented by Lad Woodward and Clarence Byrer, of the Young Americans. Judge Wilbur of the Superior Court has consented to preside at the mock trial, and Attorney Adcock will make a speech on the occasion.

Narrow Escape.

A boy about 10 years of age made a miraculous escape from death yesterday afternoon, and surely only a boy could do it. He was at the corner of Seventh and Figueroa streets with his mother, and as she waited for him on the corner, he ran out from behind a Washington-street car going north, not seeing a car coming south. He was caught fair in the middle of his anatomy by the bumper of the southbound car, and, strange as it may seem, rested with both his elbows upon the bumper and with his feet dangling in front of the fender, was carried across the street in the presence of the horrified spectators, who expected to see him momentarily dragged under the car. When it came to a standstill he dropped down and ran to his ma.

BREVITIES.

Thomas B. Clark, auctioneers, will sell K. Takito's large stock of Japanese goods at auction Monday at 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., at 211 South Broadway. Beautiful teakwood cabinets, lacquer inlay screens, embroidered wall hangings, porcelains, bronzes and a fine assortment of bric-a-brac for wedding presents, everything to be sold without reserve.

Mrs. J. P. White wishes to announce that she has opened a millinery store at 707 S. Broadway, opposite the new Lankershim Hotel, where she has on display choice designs at popular prices. Her patrons will have the benefit of her years of experience in New York City and Chicago.

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The annual meeting of the Children's Hospital will be held April 4 at 2 p.m. at the hospital, corner of Castelar and Alpine streets. Managers and members are cordially invited to attend.

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See McLellan's ad. Horses Wanted.

Paso Robles Hot Springs, midway stop on Coast line to San Francisco; booklets at Travel and Hotel Bureau, 297 West Third.

There are undelivered telegrams at the office of the Western Union for Chas. V. Imeson, B. M. Martin, E. L. Beliah, Buichi Matsuo, W. R. Kennard, Mrs. Cora Livingston, A. J. Buckles, Mrs. Madeline Buguerie, Herbert Wyckett, Phillip Stein, Hubert J. Cavanaugh, W. Shannon, Geo. Carlile, Fred Schweiser.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Postal Telegraph and Cable office for Robert Muir, Miss Louise Foster.

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Has Only Been Seen by One Victim, Although Many Thefts Have Been Committed—Entered Waldorf House Saturday Night.

After weeks of idleness in his Los Angeles field, the key-nipper burglar has resumed operations here. This thief has caused the police department more hard work than any other criminal. He has been seen only once by his victim and that time he presented a revolver at the head of the man whom he awakened and made good his escape before an alarm could be given. His method of operation is different from that of ordinary burglars for he takes only money or valuables the sale of which could not be traced to him, and after having committed several burglaries and secured a considerable amount of money, he suspends business and only resumes his work when he needs money.

Early in the year he worked for about two weeks and hardly a night passed but what he committed one or more thefts. Then he sought other pastures and for nearly two months nothing has been heard of him. Saturday night, however, there was a burglary which evidently was committed by this mysterious thief. The scene was the Waldorf rooming house at Fifth and Main streets. Yesterday morning one of the transient guests awoke to find that his clothing had been stolen. He had locked his door before retiring, and found it locked when he got out of bed, but his clothing had disappeared and there was nothing to indicate how the thief had entered the room. He called assistance and told of his loss. Later his clothing was found in a closet in one of the hallways. His watch and chain had not been taken, but his money was missing. He stated that he had had about $19, but when his clothes were brought to him every pocket had been searched, and not a cent remained.

The key to his room was examined, and it was found to be marked in such manner as to leave no doubt that keynippers had been used. Later it was found that the burglar had entered several other rooms in the house, but had found no money. The burglary was reported to the detectives by Mrs. Brown, the proprietress of the house.

PERSONAL.

C. A. Molson, a mining engineer of Salt Lake, connected with the Amalgamated properties in Montana, is at the Angelus.

Samuel Ulman and Gabriel Mitchell, representatives of a large lace manufacturing firm of St. Gall, Switzerland, are guests at the Angelus.

Justus Smoots of Mt. Vernon, O., who has been spending some time at the Rosslyn, left for his home yesterday. He will visit a brother at Sherman, Tex., en route home.

A. Becco, a large wine maker of the famous Jerez district, in Spain, is sojourning at the Angelus. He is making a pleasure tour of the United States, and is incidentally looking into the California wine industry.

DEATH RECORD.

DENTON—At Rivera, April 2, 1904, Dr. Lyman W. Denton, aged 56. Funeral Tuesday, 10 a.m., at late residence in Rivera. Burial private.

EDGERTON—In this city, April 2, 1904, at his late residence, 1251 East Twentieth street, Edward, beloved husband of May Edgerton, aged 40 years. Funeral will take place from the chapel of Dexter-Samson Company, 1123 S. Flower street, Tuesday, April 5, at 2 p.m. Interment Rosedale.

ROBERTSON—In Los Angeles, Cal., April 1, 1904, Hulda Robertson, sister of Mrs. E. Lowery, aged 29 years. The funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the parlors of Bresee Bros., Sixth and Broadway. Friends invited.

BOWLES—At the family residence, 222 West Twenty-eighth street, Los Angeles, Arthur F., eldest son of Fred C. and Rose B. Bowles, aged 18 years. The funeral service will be held Tuesday at 3 o'clock at the residence. Friends invited.

M'KEEVER—At the late residence, 1389 Bond street, Mrs. Martha A. McKeever, mother of Elmer E. McKeever, aged 70 years. Funeral notice later.

NEWHALL—Entered into rest, Mary J. Newhall, widow of the late Charles H. Newhall, a native of Massachusetts, 77 years of age. Funeral from her late residence, No. 729 Edgeware road, on Tuesday, April 5, at 2 p.m. Interment private.

LARSON—At No. 613 San Julian street, April 3, 1904, Hilda Larson, aged 18 years. Funeral from the chapel of the Orr & Hines Company, No. 647 S. Broadway, Tuesday, April 5, at 2 p.m.

ANDREWS—At 9 p.m., April 2, 1904, Mrs. Mary J., widow of the late Judge N. E. Andrews of Wyoming, mother of Mrs. E. J. Sturges, Denver, Colo.; Mrs. D. H. Brees, Laramie, Wyo.; and Mrs. C. F. Phillips, No. 454 East Twenty-first street, Los Angeles. Funeral services at the First Baptist Church at 10:30 a.m., Tuesday, April 5. Interment at Rosedale Cemetery.

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